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Hornitas, November 25, 1856 no26 3m.

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"Plow Deep to Find the Gold."

[The following song, says the Editor of the Ohio *Cultivator*, we remember to have seen in an English journal some years since; but it is well adapted to this country at the present time:]

Plow deep to find the gold, my boys!
Plow deep to find the gold!
The earth hath treasures in her breast
Unmeasured and untold.

Clothe the mountain top with trees,
The sides with waving grain;
Why bring over stormy seas
What here we may obtain?

Oh, Britain need not bring her bread
From countries new or old,
Would she but give the plowshare speed
And depth to find the gold!

Earth is grateful to her sons
For all their care and toil:
Nothing yields such large returns
As drained and deepened soil.

Science lend thy kindly aid,
Her riches to unfold:
Moved by the plow, or moved by spade,
Stir deep to find the gold.

Dig deep to find the gold, my boys;
Dig deep to find the gold!
The earth hath treasures in her breast,
Unmeasured and untold.

HOW TO TREAT A WIFE.—We have somewhere met with a few instructions which may serve you. Patience and cheerfulness are the great requisites in married life. You may have great trials and perplexities in your business with the world, but not therefore carry to your home a clouded or contracted brow.—Your wife may have many trials, which, though of less magnitude, may have been as hard to bear. A kind, conciliating word, a tender look, will do wonders in chasing from her brow all clouds of gloom. You encounter your difficulties in the open air, fanned by heaven's cool breezes; but your wife is often shut in from these healthful influences, and her health fails, and her spirits lose their elasticity. But, oh! bear with her; she has trials and sorrows to which you are a stranger but which your tenderness can deprive all of their anguish. Notice kindly her little attentions and efforts to promote your comfort. Do not take them all as a matter of course, and pass them by, at the same time being very sure to observe any omission of what you may consider due to you. Do not treat her with indifference, if you would not sear and palsy her heart, which watered by kindness, would, to the latest day of your existence, throb with sincere and constant affection.—Sometimes yield your wishes to hers. She has preference as strong as you, and it may be just as trying to yield her choice as to you. Do you find it hard to yield sometimes? Think you it is not difficult for her to give up always? If you never yield to her wishes, there is danger that she will think you are selfish, and care only for yourself, and with such feelings she cannot love you as she might. Again, show yourself manly, so that your wife can look up to you and feel that you act nobly, and that she can confide in your judgment.

THE N. Y. *Sunday Dispatch* (and an excellent paper, by-the way) relates the following theatrical anecdote:—Not a great while since, Edwin Forrest was 'up' for "Rolla," and it unfortunately happened that "Cora's child" was taken sick, and the Spaniards had no infant in their possession for Rolla to snatch and bear off in triumph. It was an awkward affair, and it was necessary that a substitute should be found speedily. A woman who performed "chores" about the theatre, said she had a sweet, pretty boy, about six years of age, but she was almost afraid to trust him to act as a substitute, he was so very modest and sensitive. She agreed at length, however, to go and fetch him if he was wanted. The boy was rather too large for the business, but none other could be had, and so at length the woman was told to fetch him. She departed, and in about ten minutes she returned with a ragged, dingy-faced little fellow, who was speedily dug out of the dirt which surrounded him, through the medium of a tub of water and about a gallon of soft soap, dressed, and at the proper moment presented for duty, the mother begging that he should be used gently, because he was such a frail plant—so diffident, so amiable, etc. Everything went on well enough till it came to the place where Rolla seizes the child and escapes with him over the bridge. At this point Forrest seized the boy, crossed the bridge, and commenced cutting it down as usual to prevent the pursuit of the Spaniards, when the boy bent over to give full play to his lungs, and roared in Forrest's ear, loud enough to be heard by the whole house, "Holt onto me tight, you big loafer! If I feel myself a fallin' I'll punch you in the ear, see if I don't!" *Strikingly* modest and bashful, that!

AN EDITOR CAUGHT.—One of our city editors, who was a bachelor, having said in his last issues that he really wished he had a son, so that he could dress him up in fashion, was called upon the next day by his "adorable," to whom he had been paying attention for the last two years, and asked if he really said that.

"Certainly I did, my dear."

"Well, William," said she, "why don't you make arrangements for one?"

Our friend says it was the first time he was ever cornered. He felt so mortified he went right away to the parson.

The Infant's Appeal.

In the year 1836, the inhabitants living in a district bordering on Rock River, in the northern part of the State of Illinois, were much incensed by the depredations of a band of horse thieves who infested that portion of the country. Every exertion had been made to discover the men engaged in this nefarious business, but hitherto in vain, and valuable animals were stolen, and lost to their owners, in defiance of the utmost vigilance and care.

During such a state of affairs, the citizens residing in the region of the thieves became thoroughly excited, and were wound up to such a pitch of indignation, that a body of men were formed styled Rangers, whose explicit duty was to expunge the district of all suspicious characters, and endeavor to put a stop to the depredations of the horse thieves.

Shortly after this band commenced operations, word was conveyed to the leader of the Rangers that a valuable horse which had been stolen the night previous, could then be found on the premises of a man named Burt, locked up in the stable. Although Burt heretofore had been looked upon as an honest man and an upright citizen, yet the Captain deemed it his duty to at least examine his farm and learn the truth or falsity of the report.

Accordingly he summoned some half a dozen of the Rangers to meet him at a spot not far from Burt's house, and before morning, set out for the same place himself. Daylight was hardly discernible in the east, and the hazy light of coming dawn had not yet penetrated the bottom, where the suspicious man resided, as the Rangers, charged with the fearful mission of life or death, silently approached, and surrounded the dwelling. Leaving three of the band to guard the entrance, the captain proceeded with the others to the stable, broke open the door, and found the missing horse, as had been stated, safely stalled inside.

Not a lingering doubt now remained of Burt's guilt, and with a stern determination to make such an example of him as would deter others from a like transaction, the Rangers returned to the house. In the meantime, Burt had arisen, and upon coming to the door, was seized by those in waiting, and upon demanding the reason, was informed that a stolen animal found in his stable, and that he was considered a thief. Muttering something about "he knew 'twould come to this at last," he quietly submitted to whatever his captors had in store for him.

A short consultation was held, and it was resolved to hang the criminal upon a large elm tree that grew in front of his own house, it being deemed that such an act would strike terror and dismay into the ranks of horse thieves.

Burt had asked half an hour to prepare for his death, and the sun had risen in all his golden majesty, ere the fatal moment had arrived which would launch him into eternity. In vain had his grey headed father and mother pleaded for his life, with trembling tongues—the old lady tottering forth from the dwelling, and kneeling in suppliant mood to his apparently merciless captors. In vain had the wife of his bosom knelt in tears of agony, and entreated them as husbands to spare his life—for each Ranger had suffered more or less in person, and they deemed the example absolutely necessary to deter others, and it seemed as though Burt must die.

The dreadful preparations were completed—the half hour had expired—and the criminal was arranged under a limb of a stout elm, over which a rope was thrown, one end being noosed around the prisoner's neck, and the other held by three of the Rangers.

Then came a moment of dreadful silence—that awful stillness which precludes the launching of a fellow being into eternity—while the three strong men who held the rope's end gazed fixedly upon the captain for the signal. It was given by the raising of the right arm; and already the noose was tightening around the doomed man's neck, when the wife of Burt issued forth from the house holding an infant, a little more than a year old, in her arms.

Rushing forward, she fell on her knees directly in front of the captain, and raising the child with arms outstretched towards him, she exclaimed in tones that would have pierced a heart of steel:

"If you will not spare him for the sake of his grey-haired sires, or the wife of his bosom, spare him, in the name of God, for the sake of his infant boy!"

Another dead silence reigned like a pall over the spot; then, as though inspired by heaven itself, the child also stretched out its little arms towards its father, and exclaimed, in a voice heard by all, the single word:

"Father!"

The muscles of the captain's face quivered in every fibre, and the men who held the rope slowly relaxed the pressure around the neck of Burt, when the infant again uttered, in distinct tones:

"Father! father!"

And then, as though despairing of success, huddled into its mother's bosom, and burst into a sobbing cry.

It was more than the Rangers could stand, and after a short consultation, the rope was taken from the criminal's throat, and the band left the spot, and Burt became a reformed man through the powerful effects of his "Infant's Appeal."

HORSE SAUSAGE.—A great breeze has been kicked up in an Atlantic city, in consequence of the discovery of horse-beef sausages, made by a German. According to the French authority, horse-beef is as good as any; and in Paris, at the present time, sorrel steaks, iron-grey chops and roan sausages are eaten with great relish. Dog sausage, brought in competition, is always at a discount. We prefer the old Connecticut article, made of chopped turnips and red flannel, to either the equine or canine kind.

A Western editor says that a child was run over by a wagon three years old and cross-eyed and which never spoke afterwards. He also gives his readers some lines which he says were written by a young man who has long since lain in the grave for his own amusement.

A Bear Idea.

BY JACK HUMPHRIES.

A bear, black as the sable curtains old Priam had dawned upon him, when the old gentleman was *told* he was in a blaze, appeared very mysteriously one morning to a newly-squatted Irishman, on the banks of father Mississippi, in the State of Ark-in-saw. Phelim O'Callahan had just turned out of the straw to turn up the chunks, roused up Biddy and the childers to see the "illigant" face of nature in the primeval precincts of the great Bear State. As Flim—which is the short hand, in Irish, for Phelim—pushed back the *muslin* door and looked out, he saw a stranger.

"Top o' the mornin to yees," says Flim, giving the left ear lock the never-to-be-forgotten *conge* of Paddydom.

"Faix," says Biddy, bundling out of the bed, "who's that, Flim?"

"It's a mighty illigant looking fellow, to be sure! By my sowl, I suppose he's one of the na-teeves; he looks dhry; faix, I'll ax 'm in."

"Whur'a now, Flim," says Mrs. O'Callahan, "wud yees be a axin 'm in till yer house afore a body's out 'o bed wid the childers?"

"Be sturrin' thin, woman," says Flim, who had been dividing his attention to Mrs. O'C. in the cabin, and the hairy-coated stranger outside. "Be sturrin, for he's a-comin, and bedad, he's—he's an ugly-looking ould felly, too. Be gor, an' I wondher if the na-teeves walk in that fashion in these parts?" Flim continued, as Mons. Bruin advanced towards Flim's door-way, on all fours! Flim eyed the stranger with marked attention; the entirely doubtful *contour* and manner of the new comer rather excited the Irishman's wonderment, but, while lost in the cotemplation, and having three separate times made friendly salutations to the visitor, without receiving any charge, Flim began to *suspicion*, and the sullen stranger advanced his *standards* chock up to the door block, says Flim—

"Arrah, now, sur, an if you've got iver a tongue and any bisness wid me, out wid it afore ye come any nearer; its not meself as knows ye, kit or kin, and bedad, it's not manners, do ye mind, to be pokin yerself into dacint paple's houses, afore they axes ye!"

The bear was now within five feet of Flim, whose back was flanked by Mrs. O'C. and the four tow-head children.

"Be gor," says Mrs. O'C., "and ye're an augly devil, any how!"

"Stop! stop, I tell ye! D'ye mind that, *igh?* Stop! or by the hill o' howth, it's cowlder than yer grandmother I'll bang ye!" roars Flim, seizing an axe standing by the door, and striking a very striking attitude, at which demonstration, Mons. Bruin, whose weight would kick the beam on the 500 lb. watches, now threw himself into a posture, reared upon his haunches, and exhibited a bread-basket, mawlers and sets of dental arrangements within his scarlet mouth, which gave the children the ague, and caused Mrs. O'Callahan to retreat, suddenly!

"Oh! be gor, an if ye're for a fight so bright and airly, as this, ye big bla'guard, here's at ye!" bawls Flim, dropping his axe, and seizing a cudgel, and giving the pondrous bear a *wipe*, Kilkenny fashion over the face and eyes, that no doubt shed quite a shower of stars, and shocked old Bruin so that he fell back sprawling, and ere he could gather himself up, he was hit again and again, until the fur flew, and his tough old hide rattled like a camp drum after a three week's rain!—But Mons. Bear wasn't to be beat to *quarters* in that impolite manner; he rallied, and giving Flim one *dab* with his south paw, he stripped him as effectually of his shirt and breeches, as dilligent exertion could have enabled Flim to have done it himself. Flim's blood was up!—the blood of Mrs. Flim, and the blood of the junior Flim's were all up to fever heat, and they rallied and hurrah'd, as Flim and his hairy antagonist had it, hip and thigh; that is, Flim being spry upon his trotters, and mighty handy with his "bit of a sthick," kept the bear at arms' length, and so tantalized him, by drumming upon his head and ribs, that Bruin grew ferocious, and made one splurge at his assailant that must have done poor Flim's knitting, had not Biddy, at this crisis, stole a march with the axe, and with one well directed and wilful blow, divided Bruin's spinal column! A few more *pokes*, and the victory was with the O'Callahans; and they learned with horror the next day, that they had run the narrowest gauntlet 'twixt escape from death and extermination, they might ever encounter again in the course of a long life time. However, Flim had his winter's meat, and fat for *corn dodgers*, cheap and handy, the remainder of the season.

"IS HE RICH."—Many a sigh is heard—many a heart is broken—many a life is rendered miserable by the terrible infatuation which parents often manifest in choosing a life companion for their daughters. How is it possible for happiness to result from the union of two principles so diametrically opposed to each other in point, as much as virtue is to vice? How often is the first question which is asked respecting the suitor of the daughter, this—"is he rich?"

"Is he rich?"—yes, he abounds in wealth; but does that afford an evidence that he will make a kind and affectionate husband?

"Is he rich?" yes, his clothes are purple, and fine linen, and he fares sumptuously every day; but can you infer from this that he is virtuous?

"Is he rich!"—yes, he has thousands floating on every ocean; but do not riches take to themselves wings and fly away? Will you consent that your daughter should marry a man that has nothing to recommend him but his wealth? Ah, beware: the gilded bait sometimes covers the barbed hook. Ask not, then, "Is he rich?" but "Is he virtuous?" Ask not if he has wealth, but if he has honor—and do not sacrifice your daughter's happiness for money.

THE BIG TREES.—The Scientific Congress which lately met at Albany, New York, among other thing passed a resolution, asking the Governor and Legislature of California, for the sake of science, to take steps for the preservation of the big trees back of Murphy's Camp.

A Good One.

County court was sitting awhile ago, in ——, on the banks of the Connecticut. It was not far from this time of year—cold weather, any how—and a knot of lawyers had collected around the old Franklin, in the bar-room. The fire blazed, and mugs of flip were passing away without a groan, when in came a rough, gaunt looking "babe of the woods," knapsack on shoulder and staff in hand.

He looked cold, and half-perambulated the circle that hemmed in the fire, as with a wall of brass, looking for a chance to warm his shins. Nobody moved, however; and, unable to sit down, for lack of a chair, he did the next best thing—leaned against the wall, "with tears in his fists and his eyes doubled up"—and listened to the discussion on the proper way of serving a referee on a warrantee deed, as if he was the judge to decide the matter. Soon he attracted the attention of the company, and a young sprig spoke to him

"You look like a traveller."

"Wall, I'spose I am; I come from Wisconsin afoot, 'tany rate."

"From Wisconsin! that *is* a distance to go on one pair of legs. I say, did you ever pass through h—ll on your travels?"

"Yis, sir," he answered, a kind of wicked look stealing over his ugly phizmahogany, "I ben through the outskirts."

"I thought likely. Well, what are the manners and customs there? some of us would like to know."

"O," says the pilgrim, deliberately, half shutting his eyes, and drawing round the corner of his mouth till two rows of yellow stubs, with a masticated pig tail appeared through the slit in his cheek, "you'll find them much the same as in thir region—*the lawyers sit nighest the fire!*"

HOTEL ETIQUETTE.—In order to attract attention and make yourself generally agreeable, talk very loud with Brown or Smith about some local affair of no possible interest to any body but yourself. This will afford other persons in the sitting room, who wish to read, an opportunity of privately cursing you. When playing backgammon or chequers, whistle or drum on the table with your fingers; it is a refined practice, and conduces; very much towards axhibiting your good breeding, and the perfect indifference you have to the comfort of others.

When at the table, gulp down as fast as possible all the little dehecacies within your reach, by way of self protection, and when hot cakes are passed, take all but one, as though you were doubtful whether they would be passed again.

Always help yourself to butter with the knife which you use in eating, by way of marking the spot where your butter is. The dirtier the knife the better for this purpose.

Never pass any article to your neighbor whom you know wants it. Why should you, so long as there are waiters about who will be around in—half an hour?

Do not be too particular abut overcoats and hats, providing you get better ones than you had. Walking sticks and umbrellas are public property at a hotel, and you have an inalienable right to walk off with either.

Board as long as possible without paying your bill, for the use of money is worth something; landlords have no need of money and ought not to trouble their boarders with bills. After being refused board because you don't pay, go away and "damn" the house

THE CENTRAL SUN.—All scientific men have maintained that there must be a central point, if not a central sun, around which the whole universe revolves. Maedlar, who is unquestionably one of the greatest astronomers ever know, has given the subject his special attention, and he has come to the conclusion that Aloyane, the principal star in the group known as Pleiades, now occupies the centre of gravity, and is at present the grand central sun around which the whole starry universe revolves. This is one of the most interesting and important astronomical announcements ever made, though it is very likely that, but for the eminent scientific position of the author, it would be treated as visionary. Another interesting statement in this connection, is made by Dr. Thompson, one of the physicists, who with Carnot, Soule, Moyer and others, has largely contributed towards establishing the relations between heat and mechanical force, and who has extended his researches to the heat emitted by the sun, which heat, he observes, corresponds to the development of mechanical force, which, in the space of 100 yards is equivalent to the whole active force required to produce the movement of all the planets.

"Quaker young ladies in Maine Law States, still continue to kiss the lips of the young temperance men, to see if they have been tampering with liquor.—Just imagine a beautiful young girl approaching you, young temperance man, with all the dignity of an executive officer, and the innocence of a dove, with the charge, 'Mr. A., the ladies believe you to be in the habit of tampering with liquor, and they have appointed me to examine you according to our established rules; are you willing—you must acquiesce.'—She steps up to you gently, lays her soft white arms around your neck, dashes back her raven curls, raises her sylph-like form on tip-toe, and with her angelic features lit up with a smile as sweet as heaven, places her rich, rosy, posy, pouty, sweet, sugar, molasses, strawberry, honeysuckle, sunflower, rosebud, nectar lips against yours, and busses you, by cracky! Hurrah! for the gals and the Maine Law, and death to all opposition!"

LOSSES AT SEA.—The month of November last was very disastrous in the way of marine losses. Twenty-six vessels were reported in the newspapers last month, as having been totally lost, involving a loss of property amounting to $1,375,800. The loss of life by these same disasters was only one—seaman. Verily, as Captain Cuttle says, the ocean is an "hawl mighty helement" in the destruction of property.

Mariposa Gazette.

INDEPENDENT IN ALL THINGS—NEUTRAL IN NOTHING.

L. A. HOLMES,
EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

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FRIDAY MORNING :::::::::: FEB. 6.

☞ We are most happy to hear from our fair correspondent "LULU," again, who it appears has recently ascended Mount Bullion. We perfectly agree with her in regard to the beauty and grandeur of the view, and we advise our lady friends that the place is worth visiting.

To our Agents and Postmasters.

Continual complaints are coming to this office of the non-receipt of the "GAZETTE," and of delays, by which people do not get their papers sometimes for a week, &c. We cannot account for it, as our papers are *always* mailed on Friday, or forwarded by Expresses whenever these can forward them more expeditiously. Complaints are also made of particular papers being taken from packages, and we desire our Agents and Postmasters to deliver no papers to any one unless his name is on the same, or he has good reason to believe it will go by another directly to the owner thereof.

Chinese---Outrageous Proceedings.

For some time there seems to have been an organization, or a number of individuals, acting together in the vicinity of Bridgeport, Guadaloupe and Buckeye, for the purpose of running all Chinaman from that section of country. Who they are, or how many, is not known, but their proceedings recently, have been of such a character as cannot be countenanced by any, however lax their notions of law, order and *right* may be. Lately several attacks have been made upon camps of Chinamen, in the night, by firing into them for the sole purpose, it would seem, of destroying their inmates. Tents afford no protection against bullets, which, in instances, were bestowed so liberally as to literally riddle these frail houses.

It does not appear that these attacks are made because of objections, arising from the Chinese holding claims, for the last onslaught made, was against a camp whose occupants were in the employ of Americans, as most of the Chinese are, in that vicinity. For their protection, the Americans built a house of piles, not only the sides but the top, over which was a roof of canvass. This house was attacked one night last week by getting on the top and firing down, and had there been no other covering but canvass, several Chinamen must have been killed. Upon hearing the firing, the Americans in the neighborhood rushed to the rescue and quite a number of shots were exchanged; but it is not known that any of the gang, who instantly fled, were injured.

Murder must have been the intent, and it was probably thought that by killing a few of the Chinese the rest would be intimidated and leave. The Americans, however, claim the right to hire, and are very decided in their protection of them; and should attempts like those which have been made, occur again, a loss of other lives than Chinese, will be very likely to happen. The community there, owe it to themselves to ferret out these would-be assassins, and bring them to the severest punishment the law inflicts for such outrages. We are not the advocates of Chinese interests by any means, but they have their rights under the law, and these should be maintained. If a Chinaman purchases a claim, it is as much his own to work and sell, as it would be were an American its owner and occupant; and if they are willing to work for wages and Americans wish to hire them and do so, whose business is it. Certainly not of outsiders, as they will find out to their sorrow should they persevere in attempts such as have been made.

It is not desirable to have any more Chinamen in this State. They never will assimilate to American character, and the distinctive differences between them and white men, will remain.

They never can become citizens; neither can they be of any *permanent* advantage to the State or community, politically, morally, or pecuniarily. They are and have been the objects of plunder and abuse in a hundred ways. To cheat a "John," or kick a "John," or kill a "John," is considered by many legitimate and proper; a fair and funny business, and we hope that outrages upon them may be punished with severity.

☞ As will be seen by reference to another column, a Ball will be given at Assembly Hall, in Mariposa, on Monday evening, February 23d. The supper will be prepared by Messrs. Knoble and Krafft.

☞ Remember the Ball at Sherlock's, to take place on Tuesday evening next

The Legislature.

There is a disposition upon the part of the Legislature to overhaul State officers; whether it arises from a desire to manufacture capital, and get the glory and honor of being called a Legislature of retrenchment and reform, which prestige will be very desirable, inasmuch as the important offices in this State are to be filled this coming fall, or whether it is from a sincere desire to serve the State, by correcting abuses, &c., remains to be seen. At any rate this is about the first Democratic Legislature in this State, we ever heard accused of being desirous of putting a stop to superfluities, speculations and stealing, which directly and indirectly helps the party, if not found out and handled by an opposition. We are disposed to exercise charity, and believe that it is for the public good that the Legislature is thus acting, and that they will have a short session and work wonders in reformation.

There can be much done in this respect, and if it *is* done they will be deserving of praise and plaudits beyond those accorded to any former Legislature. Serious charges have been made against Dr. Bates, State Treasurer, for doing what he ought not to have done, in the matter of using the State's money; and now Comptroller Whitman has been declared guilty of a misdemeanor and "suspicioned" of being a party to something not desirable as an attachment *to* the reputation of a public officer. Those gentlemen are, however, of an opposite party to a large majority of the Legislature, and their acts, of course, are prey and lawful plunder, and they are to be watched very closely.

The Report of the Special Committee who had to investigate how the provisions of an Act for the better protection of the State Treasury had been carried out, concluded as follows:

"Your Committee unanimously report that G. W. Whitman, Controller of State, has wilfully violated the spirit and letter of the Act for the better protection of the State Treasury, approved April 16th, 1856, in refusing proper information to the Board of Examiners, whereby the duties thereof could be discharged, and in drawing warrants on the State Treasury without the previous approval of said Board; and that in virtue of said actions and doings, the said G. W. Whitman, Controller, has been guilty of a misdemeanor in office, according to the tenor and effect of Section 13, of an Act concerning the office of Controller, passed January 19, 1856." (Signed) Brent, Watkins, Burch, Patrick and Hume—Special Committee.

Merced County.

In a flying visit to portions of that County recently, we could but note the many evidences of thrift, and tokens of a steady permanent growth, arising from location and agricultural value of land.—There is very little mining within the limits of the county; all are engaged in raising grain, cattle, hay, &c. This county is the granary of Mariposa and Fresno counties, and considerable quantities go to Tuolumne. The past season has been one of unusual prosperity; crops were good, as also were prices. One-third more ground is, and will be sown this season, than last; some farmers having in 350 acres of wheat and barley.

The past season considerable building has been done; a Court House at Snelling's, the county seat, we noticed particularly, and it is a model in appearance and in arrangements. The lower part is built of free-stone and used as a jail, and the upper part as a court room and for offices.

A Bridge has been built across the Merced, half a mile below Phillips' Ferry, upon the Mariposa road, by Mr. C. Murray, at a cost, we are informed, of $17,000. At this point, Mr. Murray has mills and a Hotel. No better place for a farmer is in the Southern mines, than here; the bottoms along the Merced from where it first debouches from the mountains, to the San Joaquin, a distance of thirty-five miles, are unsurpassed in fertility. Rich, though not so extensive, bottoms are upon the Mariposa, Bear and Owens' Creeks.—The value of property must increase rapidly, particularly if water should be brought into Mariposa, for upon Merced county we should be in a great measure dependant for agricultural products.—Ranches would be trebled in value. We hope and will say, we believe that this will soon come to pass.

THEATRICAL.—Mr. and MRS. CONNER have performed the past week in this place, Agua Frio and Sherlock's, to fair and appreciating audiences, not so large, however, as they deserved and which we had hoped they would get, but under the circumstances, they having been preceded by theatrical humbugs and imposters, it was all that could be expected. At Agua Frio and Sherlock's, particularly the latter place, they were much urged to give another entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. CONNER will play at Assembly Hall this and to-morrow evenings. There will be an entire change of programme, and differing from any previously offered.

On Monday evening, they will appear in connexion with the Thespian Society of this place, and a rare treat may be expected. We hope our citizens will honor them by their patronage; deserved personally, as well as for their delightful and chaste entertainments.

HON. P. T. HERBERT will please accept our thanks for valuable public documents; also, a copy of his able speech in regard to California Land Claims, delivered in Congress on the 24th of December. We we regret that we are unable, on account of its great length, to publish the speech entire. A portion of it, however, will appear in in our columns next week.

COMMUNICATED FOR THE GAZETTE.

Mr. Editor:—In my last, I hinted at many facts with which most of your readers are conversant. But, Sir, I am aware that it is urged that the Democratic party is not responsible for this; that if they support great national principles, and designing men pervert them to advance their own selfish ends, that the party cannot be held accountable for it.

This, we grant; but is it adhered to?—Is it practiced either by precept or example, in the usual course of political maneuvering? Every one acquainted with the history of California, knows well, that, whoever by intrigue and low cunning, can force himself upon the people through *that bane of all curses*, (the caucus,) must be supported. It matters not what he has done—if he has sold his party, cursed the people and impoverished the State—*so much greater the thunder.*

Politicians will mount the rostrum and dwell upon the great national principles of Democracy, (which is as far above the present political hucksterism, as the heavens above the earth, and if there is a connecting chain, it is certainly obliterated,) then let off with eloquent eulogies upon Washington, Jefferson, and their compatriots; then down with violent denunciation upon opposing parties, for daring to express an opinion adverse to the "great I AM;" then crucifying every individual member of their own party who dares to speak his own mind, or act according to the dictates of conscience, unless they can be so *warped* as strictly to accord with the *mandates* of King Caucus, regardless of everything, save the success of party for the sake of party. I appeal to the people, how long will you suffer yourselves driven like sheep to the slaughter? How long will you allow your rights trampled under foot, in order to advance the schemes of men who pretendingly profess great principle, and who would turn the next moment and devour you, as would cagles a new fallen carcass? Do I say, good men are not found in the Democratic party? Not so. That party is mainly composed of the bone and sinew of the country; yea, the very bull and bulwark of the nation. But how seldom do we find them in position where their power is felt; and why? Because the regular-built politician is continualy scheming, and whilst the bone and strength of the land are following their daily vocations, we find these suckers at the "public pap," moving among the so-called "dead heads," "gentry," "codfish aristocracy," &c. "pipe-laying." The thing is talked over, and understood among the few, and when all things are set for the occasion, or rather when the designs are all drawn upon the political trestleboard, and the work laid out, then perhaps you will see a poster stuck up, "primary meeting to-night," and before the miner has time to change his garb, or the farmer to attend to his domestic duties preparatory, the delegates to the County Convention are elected. Then the politician and his accompliced "dead heads," true to their instincts, (for I can term it nothing more,) elect their delegates to the State Convention, agreeably to the same rules and designs as laid out. Now, here they have a grand time—they "bamboozle" and "dumfuzzle" the genuine Democracy by caucussing a day or two; then, lo! the *wire* is pulled, and they are "fotched" up all "standin'."

Then comes a long Preamble and Resolutions called a platform, or more properly an *edict*, embodying mainly, that Washington was the Father of his country, and that we are the Jeffersonian Democracy—begotten of "Old Hickory," and no kin to "Hard Cider."

Thus is capped the climax; and then all that remains to be done, is to "spread" their mouths, *swallow the pill, gag the people, shout for joy*, and the *battle is fought*, and the *victory won.*

Yours, BACKWOODS.
MARIPOSA, Feb. 3d, 1857.

QUARTZ DISCOVERY.—A rich lode of quartz was struck last week by Lovely Rogers and others, upon Gentry's Gulch, ten miles east of Coulterville. From all accounts, it would appear to be richer than any we ever heard of. Fifty feet of the vein has been prospected; and every part and piece of the quartz shows gold.

Mr. Rogers brought to Mariposa a small quantity of rock, one piece of which weighing thirty-five ounces, upon being reduced yielded a trifle over $300.

MINING.—Messrs. Jackson and Wilkes took out of their claim, at Lower Sherlock's, on Saturday, 61 ounces, and on Monday 15 ounces. Their claim was formerly known as the "New York Claim," and is paying regularly $12 to 15 per day to the hand.

Mr. B. F. Harbour and others, near Upper Agua Frio, are averaging from $10 to $15 per day to the hand.

FOUND DEAD.—We understand that Mr. Joseph Phillips was found dead upon the Merced river, near Phillips' Flat. We hear that from marks upon the body, it is probable that he met with a violent death, but we have not the particulars.

NEW GOODS.—During the past week a large lot of goods has been received by N. Cohn & Co. See advertisement in another column.

Mr. Cohn did *not* get married while below, as was reported. He invested his money in goods, which was far better, considering the general insecurity of matrimonial titles, and the uncertainty of returns.

NEWS FROM THE EAST!

ARRIVAL OF THE SONORA!

FOURTEEN DAYS LATER NEWS!

Important from Nicaragua!

The Steamer *Sonora* arrived in San Francisco on the 30th ult, bringing dates from New York to the 5th of January. She brought 619 passengers, of whom 128 are women—also a large amount of express freight. The following is a summary of the news:

The Missouri Compromise Act has been declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court of the United States. All the Judges but two, concur in the opinion that Congress has no power over the question of slavery in the Territories.

Lewis Baker, twice tried for the murder of Poole, at Stanwix Hall in February 1855, has been released upon bond of $5,000. His friends and accomplices, McLaughlin and Turner, upon the occasion of the killing of Poole, were released upon the same terms. To effect Baker's capture, New York was in arms, and a ship was sent across the Atlantic; now he is turned loose upon a paltry bail, and will probably escape punishment altogether.

Congress is doing but little—a bill for remodeling the Tariff, has been brought forward—it proposes considerable reductions. On the 24th of December, Hon. P. T. Herbert of California, delivered an able speech in the House in regard to California Land Claims.

Huntingdon, the great forger, has been found guilty. In his defence, the common plea of insanity was set up, but it did not have the usual effect of clearing the culprit. He was sent to State Prison for four years and ten months.

Destructive fires have occurred, and a large amount of property destroyed in New York, Philadelphia and other places.

Terrible gales have occurred, and many shipwrecks are recorded. There has been, however, no great loss of life.

A meeting of Californians took place at the St. Nicholas Hotel, on the 27th of December, to take measures to induce emigration to this State. A large sum of money was subscribed.

Brig. General Persifer F. Smith has been appointed to the Brigadiership originally created for General Shields. It is thought that General Smith will succeed General Wool in command of the Pacific Department.

Mr. Mallory has been re-elected to the United States Senate from Florida.

Mrs. Wilson, who was captured by the Indians from Col. Babbitt's train, between St. Louis and Salt Lake City, was killed the day after her capture, because she could not ride on horseback and keep up with the Indian train.

Kansas is remarkably quiet. The emigration, this coming spring will be very large. It is generally conceded that it will be a free State.

AFFAIRS IN NICARAGUA.

From the most reliable information, it appears that Walker and his army are in a desperate situation.

In the Memoranda of the steamer *Sonora*, taken from the San Francisco *Herald*, appears the following:

The *Sonora* brings the through passengers who left New York Dec. 24th for San Francisco *via* Nicaragua, per steamship Tennessee, which vessel broke a shaft on the second day out from New York and put into Norfolk. The steamer James Adger, chartered for the purpose, brought the passengers to San Juan del Norte; but finding on arrival there, the country and all means of transit in possession of the invading army, the ship was sent to Aspinwall, whence the passengers were conveyed by railroad to Panama, and embarked on the Sonora, Jan. 15th.

From the latest and most reliable information received at Panama from either side of the Nicaragua Isthmus, it seems that Gen. Walker was in a desperate position, surrounded by the enemy, and nearly the whole country in possession of the Costa Ricans and their Allies.

The Costa Ricans surprised a post of Walker's upon the river San Juan. Walker's party number fifty, of whom five escaped, two were taken prisoners; the rest perished, some by jumping into the rapid river, others by ball and bayonet.

The Costa Ricans then took the steamers belonging to the Transit Company, and had entire control of the river at the latest advices. This will prevent reinforcements from reaching Walker from the quarter whence most of them are to be expected. It is said that his entire force is less than 1000 men, of whom 300 are on the sick list. It is quite probable that we shall soon hear of the entire destruction or capture of Walker's forces.

The following proclamation has been issued by President Mora of Costa Rica:

The President of the Republic of Costa Rica to the Soldiers of Walker's Army.—"Impressed with a well founded belief that the great number of foreigners who are now in the ranks of the Usurper have been deceived, and aware that they are now fighting in a bad cause, against a people who have given no cause of offence, and who are only defending their country, their rights, liberties and their homesteads, from the criminal attempts of an unprincipled adventurer, to subvert all that freemen revere; and convinced that many, if not all, who are now aiding that scourge of humanity, would willingly quit his discredited service, if only assured of protection and support to reach their native country.

Now, I, the President of the republic of Costa Rice, pledging my honor, hereby offer to any one or all of the officers and soldiers of Walker's army, now in Nicaragua, a free and safe passage to Greytown, and from thence per steamer to the city of New York.

Given at the National Palace, at San Jose, December 10, 1856.

JUAN R. MORA.

From the South.

The steamer *Sea Bird* arrived in San Francisco, Feb. 1st, from San Diego, bringing little other news than accounts of horrible murders and depredations of a gang of Mexican bandits, said to number sixty. Among the murders enumerated, are those of Sheriff Barton and others of Los Angeles, who it appears had gone out to protect a teamster from thieves and robbers, who were said to be on the route. The party numbered eight, and were attacked by a larger party of robbers, and four, including Sheriff Barton, were killed. The others were pursued twelve miles, and escaped by the fleetness of their horses. A party of forty started from Los Angeles immediately, but returned unable to find the robbers.

The different Southern papers are filled with particulars of the earthquakes of the 9th instant. The principal shock appears to have been felt very severely over all the lower country, and particularly at Fort Tejon. Great anxiety was felt in the south for the safety of San Francisco. Immense chasms ten feet wide, and extending in lenght forty miles, had opened at various parts of the southern country, and large streams were suddenly found to exist at places where no streams had been observed before. Great masses of rock and earth were noticed at Fort Tejon to be heaved high in the air from lofty peaks.

MURDERS AT LOS ANGELES.—Los Angeles keeps up its reputation for bloody outrages. The bodies of two *murdered* men have been found.

MURDERS AT SAN DIEGO.—An Indian was found murdered at San Diego, having a deep knife wound in his breast. A Mexican, named Nicholas Contieras, was likewise found murdered there. His head was horribly mutilated.

A bill has been introduced into the North Carolina Legislature, to promote and encourage matrimony.

☞ A new Post Office has been established at Mr. Murray's, at Murray's Bridge, and is called Merced Falls Post Office.

☞ We have received from Mr. L. P. Fisher, our Agent in San Francisco, several advertisemts, too late for this number, they will appear in our next.

☞ We are under many obligations to Mr. JERRY SULLIVAN, San Francisco, for files of Atlantic papers by the last steamer.

Also to Messrs. GARDNER and CONDON, for the prompt delivery of California exchanges.

MARRIED,

At Arkansas Flat, on Thursday evening, January 29th, by Rev. Mr. Demeron, Mr. JAMES MCCARTHY, to Miss JULIA BACSMAN.

☞ JUSTICE'S BLANKS.—Every description of Justice's Blanks, just printed, and constantly on hand and for sale at this office. Also, Blank Constable Sales, etc.

NOTICE.

A SPECIAL MEETING of the MARIPOSA HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, will be held at Theatre Hall, on Friday Evening, February 13th, at 7 P. M. A full attendance is requested, as important business will be transacted. By Order,

H. DIMOND, Foreman.
Mariposa, Feb. 6, 1857. f6-td

E. CHAPMAN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
HORNITAS, MARIPOSA COUNTY.
☞ OFFICE—At the "Union Hotel." f6-3m

HENRY ALDRICH,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
MERCED COUNTY, TOWNSHIP NO. 4.
☞ OFFICE—At the County Seat. f6-3m

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Smith, Hunt & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 25th day of November, 1856. All persons owing said firm, are hereby requested to pay the same to Smith, Dudly & Co. The business will be hereafter conducted by said firm.

WALTER L. SMITH,
GEORGE M. HUNT,
JOHN WESLEY SMITH,
RANKIN CONRAD.
Coulterville, Feb. 3, 1857. f6-3m

To Lumber Dealers.
WANTED!
32,000 FEET OF LUMBER, VARIOUS kinds, suitable for Fluming.

Proposals will be received at Quartzburg or Phillip's Flat, up to the first day of March; the Lumber to be delivered on or before the first day of June, at Bond's Store, on the Merced River.

Lumber dealers desiring to furnish the above description of lumber, will please address the undersigned at either Phillip's Flat or Quartzburg. Proposals will be received until the first day of March, and the contract awarded at that time to the lowest responsible bidder.

Bids will be received in two forms as follows: For furnishing the lumber at the Mills, and also, for furnishing and delivering the lumber at Bondville.

W. B. FLOYD.
Phillip's Flat, Merced River, Feb. 6, 1857 3t

FOR SALE!
28,0000 FEET OF GOOD LUMBER, already fitted for fluming, consisting of Wheels, Pumps, &c., and all the necessary apparatus for Fluming.

The above Lumber is at Phillip's Flat, and the undersigned intending to leave that place, offers it for sale cheap. Persons or companies wishing to Flume the River below Phillip's Flat, will find great advantage, as far as regards convenience and price, in purchasing this Lumber.

For terms, enquire of W. B. FLOYD.
Phillip's Flat, Feb. 6, 1857. f6-3t

To Whom it may Concern.

I, MARGARET DOWD, the wife of Michael Dowd, and of the County of Mariposa, in the State of California, hereby declare that I intend to avail myself of the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of said State, entitled "An Act to authorize married women to transact business in their own names as sole Traders," passed April 12, 1852. And I intend to carry on the business of Blacksmithing, in its various branches, in my own name and on my own account, as a sole trader, and in the town of Coulterville, in the aforesaid county. And I shall from this date be individually responsible, in my own name, for all debts contracted by me on account of said business above mentioned. And I further declare that the amount invested in said business, is less than five thousand dollars.

MARGARET DOWD.
Coulterville, January 28th, 1857.

State of California, County of Mariposa, ss.

THIS 28th day of January, A. D. 1857, before me, George Counts, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared Margaret Dowd, who is to me personally known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing declaration, and made and signed the same in my presence, and declared that she did the same for the object and purpose therein mentioned, and that the facts therein were true and correct.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, the day and year first above written.

GEORGE COUNTS, J. P.
Coulterville, Jan. 28, 1857. feb6-3t

New Advertisements.

LIST OF LETTERS.

REMAINING IN THE MARIPOSA POST OFFICE, FEBRUARY 1st, 1857.

Allen, John
Adams, Samuel
Bennet, James
Brawley, G. A.
Bagley, O.
Banting, D.
Blood, Charles
Burchard, P. J.
Batter, James
Bell, G. W.
Brown, P.
Cunningham, Wm.
Canfy, Thos.
Creaner, P.
Carter, John P.
Couchard, G.
Cournoyer, Dennis
Downing, Charles S.
Brownellard, A. W.
Davis, William
Davenport, J. S.
Ehricks, Carsten
Ethier, J. B.
Fitzpatrick, J. B.
Fitzhugh, Charles
Gately, Michael
Groves, Alex.
Glass, Wesley
Hinchman, Felix
Hill, John
Hadnall, W. R.
Hale, Charles S. 2
Hannon, John
Hammock, H. E.
Hamilton, W. H.
Kelley, C.
Lapliche, Paul
Lee, Nathaniel
Lague, Abraham
Martin, J.
Miskimen, W. R.
Murphy, J. L.
Mekel, Dan
Mains, Joseph
Metcalf, W. F.
Mulvee, Michael
Nichols, William
Nagle, P. B.
Nelson, Cornelius
O'Bryen, James
O'Neal, J. R.
Overton, Caswell
Pinnell H. H.
Preston, S. J.
Rose, Mrs. Martha A.
Roz, W. D.
Smoot, M. B. 2
Smith, S. W.
Steel, Henry
Talbott, H. 2
Trotteer, Joseph
Thompson, Osborn
Thompson, J. P.
Tatum, F. J.
Tume, Miss S. A.
Tatoo, A.
Van Rensselaer, E. 3
Van Bever, J.
Wilson, J. L.
West, Charles
Williams, John
Winkler, M. L.
Whaland, Thomas
White, Romulus J.
Webster, Daniel
Wright, Anderson
West, J. J.
Wilson, Francis M.

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are advertised.

J. F. MCNAMARA, P. M.

ANNIVERSARY BALL!
TO BE GIVEN AT
ASSEMBLY HALL,
MARIPOSA,
On Monday Evening February 23d.

THE Managers respectfully announce to the public, that a GRAND BALL will be given in Mariposa, in honor of the Anniversary of
WASHINTON'S BIRTH DAY,
On Monday, February 23d, 1857, (the 22d being on Sunday.)

Managers.

HON. J. M. BONDURANT, A. GUARD,
W. A. GUARD, J. N. MOORE,
J. BLUMENTHAL, A. C. N. JOHNSON,
J. HOWELL, WM. COHN,
GEORGE A. HAYES, J. B. CONDON.

Floor Managers.

R. S. MILLER, A. M. SWANEY,

PROMPTOR.....J. BILLIARD.

Tickets--$7.
Mariposa, February 6, 1857. f6-td

GRAND BALL!
AT SHERLOCK'S
TO TAKE PLACE ON
Tuesday Evening, February 10th, 1857.

THE MANAGERS respectfully inform the public, that a BALL will be given at Sherlock's, on Tuesday Evening, Feb. 10th, 1857.

MYERS' COTILLION BAND will be in attendance.

Managers:

H. MCBRIANE, H. WILLIAMS,
J. J. MARSHALL, DR. J. L. CLARKE,
R. S. CHAMBERLIN, JOSEPH PHILLIPS,
LEROY VINING, HUGH DIMOND,
J. D. CRIPPEN, D. O'BRIEN,
DR. A. J. LASSETER, CHARLES MCCABE,
R. B. LAMON, J. D. MACKEY.

FLOOR MANAGER.....J. H. NEAL.

PROMPTOR.....J. BILLIARD.

TICKETS—FIVE DOLLARS.
January 29, 1857. ja29-td

United States of America.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF FRESNO—Township No. 2.—IN JUSTICE'S COURT.

The People of the State of California, to THOMAS MITCHELL, Greeting:

You are hereby summoned to appear before me, at my office in the Second Township of the County of Fresno, on the 22d day of January, A. D. 1857, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to answer unto the complaint of Hughes & Eldridge, in an action of debt for the sum of sixty eight dollars and seventy two cents, when judgment will be taken against you for the said amount, together with cost and damages, if you fail to appear and answer.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of said County, GREETING:

Make legal service and due return hereof.

Given under my hand this 20th day of January, A. D. 1857. HALETT CLARK, [L. S.]
Justice of the Peace of said Township.

It is hereby ordered that a publication of the above Summons be made once a week, for the term of three weeks, in the Mariposa Gazette.

HALETT CLARK, J. P.
Township No. 2, Fresno County.
Millerton, January 27, 1857. ja6-3t

FOR SALE.
In the Town of La Grange Stanislaus Co.

A LARGE FIRST CLASS HOTEL, (known as the La Grange Hotel) with superior accommodations, centrally located, on the Main street, and has a good run of custom.

A. N. Fisher & Co's and B. F. Clark's lines of stages from Stockton, Sonora and Mariposa remain over night at this House, thus contributing largely to the interest of said property.

There is also a large Ball Room attached to the Hotel.

The Hotel is well furnished with Beds, Furniture, &c., which can be purchased on very reasonable terms.

For further particulars apply to Dr. G. L. Murdock, of the firm of Buck & Murdock, La Grange; or M. J. Dooly, at DILLON & CO.'S Stage office, Stockton. feb6-2m

NEW GOODS!
N. COHN & CO.,

ARE receiving a Fresh Stock from San Francisco, consisting in part of

HARDWARE;
WALL PAPER;
LAMPS OF ALL KINDS;
CAMPHINE and OIL;
REAL HAVANA SEGARS;
TOBACCO, Choicest Brands;
BOOKS, NOVELS;
STATIONERY, &c., &c,

And a heavier stock of

FANCY GOODS

than has ever before been offered in this market.

☞ These Goods were purchased under the supervision of Mr. Cohn, and will be sold Low for Cash.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-3m

NOTICE.

PERSONS holding Lots in the town of Mariposa, and desirous of making arrangements in reference to a title, can have an opportunity of doing so, by calling on the subscriber, on the corner of Charles and Fifth streets.

ALBERT F. FIELD,
Attorney in fact for J. C. Fremont.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-tf

GARDEN SEEDS!

EVERY VARIETY—WARRANTED FRESH—just received and for sale by

NEAL & MCGRANN.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-tf

FRUIT TREES.

THE undersigned have received a large lot of FRUIT TREES, from Nurseries at San Jose. The different varieties are, APPLE, PEACH, APRICOT, FIG, and ALMOND TREES. The apple trees have been engrafted, and the peach trees budded, and are warranted to be of the kind represented.

Some choice ROSE TREES, of the kind known as the Castilion Rose, also for sale.

WESTFALL & DEFORRIS.
Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-tf

Mariposa Gazette.

Written for the Mariposa Gazette.

Mount Bullion.

Mr. Editor:—Have you ever visited Mount Bullion? If not, we would advise you to go; we have been there, and were fully repaid for our trip. During the delightful weather of last week, after torturing our minds for several days to decide what way it could be most pleasantly spent, it was finally proposed to ascend this mountain, which, after some little demurring, (among the ladies of course) was assented to, and a small party was soon formed for this purpose. A glorious morning and a bright sun ushered in the appointed day. Perhaps lightness of heart had something to do with it—but to my mind the earth had never appeared half so beautiful. Somewhat contrary to expectation, the brightness of the sky was unmarred, save by a few white, fleecy clouds, as they floated slowly in the zenith, or lazily reclined on the top of some mountain that waved its head in the distant horizon—while below, all nature seemed rejoicing in her own beauty—in a word, it was just such a day as we would have selected—one of California's loveliest days. As we slowly ascended the mountain, (for between you and me, Mr. Editor, some of us were rather afraid of our horses, to the great amusement of the rest of the party,) feasting our eyes on the brilliant scenery that far outstretched the vision, both above and below us, with its gorgeous beauties grouped harmoniously together, to me "the ideal of earth seemed realized;" and while my heart involuntarily returned thanks that my lot was cast in so lovely a country, eagerly I longed for one spark of the bard's inspiration, that I might sing to the glory of our land. Did it never occur to you, Mr Editor, while reading the effusions of some ancient poet, that he needed only an acquaintance with California, to have made his descriptions perfect? What a theme our State would have been for his pen! At least so thought I, as upon the summit of grand old Bullion, one sweep of our eyes took in more real grandeur and sublimity than even their lively imaginations ever pictured. While verdure sprang up beneath our feet, apparently, only a few miles from us the snow-clad mountains lifted their heads in striking contrast, and I almost imagined I could hear the cold piercing wind as it whistled through the giant pines, while we only felt the balmiest air, and were surrounded by all the appearances of spring—it seemed that the one half of earth was mourning over the joy of the other half. But as I gazed upon the wintry scene, what a "sea of old memories" rushed to my mind, to me far more welcome than the fairest sight. How well I remembered, in another State and home, with what eager delight was hailed the first appearance of old winter, donning his robe of white—and how joyfully he was welcomed as the harbinger of coming pleasures. I was carried back to the long evenings, when seated cosily around the blazing fire, we children listened with such intense interest to the charming stories related for our benefit—and how our little eyes would dilate, and our young hearts quake, until we feared their strings would snap with terror, as a hobgoblin tale was unraveled from the well stored mind of some mischievous person; and as some little one, bolder than the rest, stoutly denied his belief in the existence of such things, and as a proof of his assertion *walked boldly out into the dark alone!* oh, what a hero he was in our eyes—to us far greater than any that ever graced the pages of history.

I was called away from these pleasing memories by the reappearance of some of the company, who had wanderad off in search of snow, and they had not been altogether unsuccessful, but brought with them a small crust they had discovered hidden away in the crevice of some rock—the last remains of the heavy coat that so lately covered the noble form of Mount Bullion—and soon the last vestige of this disappeared, and nothing was left to tell of its fate.

But now the declining sun warned us to return, and after partaking of a delicious lunch at the Oak Spring House, we arrived at home somewhat fatigued, but well pleased with our day's enjoyment.

LULU.

A RELIC OF '76.—The N. Y. *Mirror* says Captain Charles Pratt, of Worcester, Mass., who, during several years past has been successfully engaged in taking up the wreck of the British frigate "Huzzar," which was sunk at Hurigate during the Revolution, with a large amount of treasure on board, intends to present, in behalf of our government, and to send over in the "Resolute," to England, a large cannon recently raised from the wreck, and bearing unmistakable evidence of its historical associations.

LAUGHABLE MISTAKE.—An exchange tells a good joke about a verdant limb of the law, who resided upon Mill Creek, and in times of the absence of the pastor of the district meeting, acted as a clerk. He had a strange mode of manufacturing words when at a loss for the right one. Well, upon a certain occasion, when he deemed his services in request, he undertook to "give out a hymn," in which the word "doxology" occurred; as he could not get hold of the word he requested the congregation to sing "four verses and a *sockdologer*?"

Col. Fremont is expected out on the Steamer of the 20th.

A STEAMSHIP PROJECT.—The N. O. *Delta* says that a new project, having in view the running a steamship line from San Francisco to China and Australia, is seriously talked of in New York city, in conjunction with a proposition from parties in Europe; and it is in contemplation to seek the patronage of the United States Government, by obtaining a favorable contract for carrying the mails. According to this plan, the Sandwich Islands will be made a port of call on the outward passage, to obtain stores, coal, and other necessary supplies. At this point, and at the Bonin Islands, naval depots will be formed. From Shanghae, the course will be due south to Cape Lewen, where a fair wind to Sidney may always be expected, especially in the winter season. From Sidney to the continent the prevailing winds is from the westward during the winter months; and in the route across, it is proposed to make Pitcairn's Island or Tahita a depot for coal—returning home by way of the Isthmus of Panama. The friends of the enterprise claim that this will be the best and shortest route, either to China or Australia; that it will not interfere with any route already established; that it will secure important Government and commercial interests, and that the boisterous weather encountered between Sydney and the Cape of Good Hope, especially in the winter, will be almost wholly avoided.

The steamship Otter arrived at San Francisco on Saturday, having on board two hunred barrels of cramberries.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE!

THE subscriber being desirous of closing his business and removing to the East, offers the following valuable property for sale at a bargain:

HIS PRESENT STAND, corner of Main and Fourth Streets. The Lot is 50 feet on Main street, by 120 on Fourth, together with the improvements, consisting of a ROOMY ONE STORY HOUSE, suitable for any kind of business. The location is the most desirable in the town, and will be sold entire, or divided into two lots of 25 feet front, on Main Street, by which two good Stores could be made of the present house.

—ALSO—

THE TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, WITH LOT, on Main Street, opposite Cashman & Co.'s old Store. This house is readily rented, and pays a high interest on the investment.

J. M. VANDYKE.

Mariposa, January 23, 1857. ja23 tf

☞ N. B. All persons indebted to me are requested to pay up at once, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection.

J. M. V

A Rare Chance.

A Grocer Stock and Stand. One of the best in this city, doing a safe and profitable business. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.

Stockton, January 28, 1857. ja30-2m

To Let.

OAK GROVE HOTEL, three miles from the City of Stockton, with four acres fenced in for a garden. Enquire of E. S. HOLDEN.

Stockton, Jan 28, 1857. ja30 2m

To Let.

THREE good Ranches, within three miles of the City of Stockton, will be let on reasonable terms. Enquire of E. S. HOLDEN,

Stockton, Jan. 28-2m Druggist.

Vegetable and Flower Seeds.

A large variety just arrived from New York.—sold cheap. Also, Blue Vitriol and Strychnine. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN,

Stockton, Jan. 28 3m. Druggist.

Garden Seeds.

JUST arrived, per ship Winged Arrow, a large variety of Garden, Fruit and Flower Seeds, such as Apple, Pear, Quince, Cherry, Apricot, Plum, Locust, Osage Orange, Sweet Corn, Alfalfa Clover, Blue Grass, Sweet herbs of all kinds, and 50 kinds of Flower Seeds adapted to the climate, for sale by E. S. HOLDEN,

Druggist.

Stockton, January 28, 1857. ja30-2m

$25 Reward.

ON Tuesday the 20th inst., a man came to my Stable calling himself Thompson, and hired a Horse from me for the avowed purpose of going to the Merced river. Said Thompson has not yet returned the horse, and most likely has left this section of country. The following is an accurate description of the animal: large grey California horse, branded on the left hip "J. S." and on the right, "S. E." also, with the brand of a small wheel and on his left fore leg there is two splints. Black silver mounted saddle, a common plain bridle and martingale. The above reward will be paid for the return of the horse and equipments to my stable.

M. O. BARBER.

Mariposa, January 30th, 1857. ja30 3t

Notice to Creditors.

THE undersigned intending to leave California in the spring, calls upon all persons indebted to him, to come forward and pay up their accounts immediately, as no longer indulgence can be given. Settlements must be made in every instance, or his accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection.

All persons to whom I am indebted are particularly requested to present their bills.

She subscriber has on hand an assortment of Tin ware, Stoves, &c., which will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH.

S. WORMSER.

Mariposa, January 23, 1857. ja23-tf

FOR SALE.

THE undersigned wishing to leave here in the spring for the Atlantic States, now offers his property, situated in the town of Agua Frio, for sale at a bargain for Cash. The said property is composed of seven buildings, all well calculated for carrying on the Hotel business. The Saloon building is now renting for $100 per month. The yard around the building is fenced in, and room enough for a large Garden. A never failing well close to the Kitchen. A private dwelling furnished throughout. Hotel part and Kitchen both furnished throughout. Two large Stables, &c. Any person wishing a bargain can see the subscriber at Agua Frio.

J. H. WHITTIER.

Agua Frio, January 23, 1857. ja23tf

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Firm of Neill & Co. was dissolved on the 7th of January, 1857. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make payment within thirty days from date. Notes and accounts of those indebted may be found in the hands of Geo. Watts, Esq. In case of non compliance to settle within the time specified as above, suits will be instituted in every instance.

RUFFIN A. MOORE,
for NEILL & Co.

Mariposa, January 16, 1857. ja16-4t

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the Carpentering business, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 5th day of January, 1857.

JOHN R. McCREADY,
WM. M. DAVIS.

Mariposa, January 16th, 1857. ja16-3t

Merced Mining Company.

AT a Meeting of the Directors held on the 31st of December, an assessment of two per cent was laid upon the Capital Stock, payable on the 5th of January, at the Office of Wainwright, Randall & Co., Brannan's Buildings, Montgomery Block, San Francisco. By order,

SMYTH CLARK,
Secretary and Agent, M. M. Co.

Mount Ophir, January 16, 1857. ja16-4t

STRAY MARE.

STRAYED from the subscriber at Mormon Bar, on the night of the 28th of December last, a medium sized White Mare, branded "G D D," on the left hip; no other brand perceivable. Has a white scaly nose, and the left eye is what may be termed a gloss color. Any information of the above mare will be thankfully received by J. D. Dickinson, on the Tuolumne River, or

C. S. PECK.

Mormon Bar, January 16, 1857. ja16 3t

Legal Notices, etc.

Sheriff's Sale,
FOR DELINQUENT TAXES.

WHEREAS, it appearing from the delinquent list of Tax payers, of the County of Mariposa, State of California, to me duly furnished and returned by the County Auditor of said County, that default has been made in the payment of the State and County Taxes, for the year 1856, for the ten square Leagues of Land, lying, situated and located in the said County, called the Las Mariposas Estate, and being known as the same land claimed and located under, and by virtue of a certain Mexican Grant, of Ten Square Leagues of Land, to Juan B. Alvarado, John C. Fremont, Assignee and owner.

And whereas, on or before the third Monday of October, A. D. 1856, default was made in the payment of said Taxes for the said land for the year 1856. And whereas, the said tax amounts to the sum of Fourteen Thousand ($14,000) Dollars.

Now therefore, by reason of such failure and delinquency, I have levied upon and seized the above described property, more particularly described as the tract of land, located and surveyed, under and by virtue of said grant, in the year 1855, by the United States Surveyor, extending from a line near the North Chowchilla, including the head waters, and lands adjacent, of the Mariposa and Agua Frio Creeks, and also Bear Valley, to the Merced River.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I shall expose for Sale, at Public Auction, at the front Door of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, on Monday, the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1857, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 5 P. M., the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the above amount of Taxes and costs of sale.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff
of Mariposa County.

By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.

Mariposa, January 22, 1857. ja23 2t

The above Sale is postponed until Saturday, the 14th day of February, A. D., 1857.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff
of Mariposa County.

By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.

jan30.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the District Court of the Thirteenth Judicial District, held for the County of Mariposa, and to me directed, against Charles S. Ward, and in favor of Alfred Shaw, I am commanded to sell the following property, to wit: One undivided half of a certain Quartz Crushing Mill and machinery, situated on a gulch above the machinery of Palmer, Cook & Co., it being the mill and machinery now occupied by J. P. Clark. Also, one tenth of a certain ditch, constructed to bring water from Stockton creek to Mariposa, known as the Stockton Creek and Mariposa ditch. Also, one seventh of fourteen hundred feet of a certain Quartz ledge, known as the Fremont vein, all of which lies in the vicinity of the town of Mariposa, together with all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

NOTICE is hereby given that I shall expose for sale at Public Auction, at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday, the 21st day of February, 1857, the above described property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the plaintiff in his demand for the sum of Six Hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents, with interest thereon at the rate of three per cent per month, from the 12th day of June 1856, until paid, and also twenty dollars and eighty cents costs of suit, and all costs of sale.

THOMAS EARLY, Sheriff
of Mariposa, County.

By JOHN N. MOORE, Under Sheriff.

Mariposa, January 30, 1857. ja30-3t

To Whom it may Concern.

I, AMELIA PHILLIPS, the wife of William Phillips, of the County of Mariposa, in the State of California, hereby declare, that it is my intention to avail myself of the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of said State, entitled "An Act to authorize married women to transact business in their own names as Sole Traders," passed April 12, 1852. And that I intend to carry on the business of keeping a Boarding House, in its various branches, in my own name and on my own account, as a sole Trader—and in the town of Mariposa, in the aforesaid county. And I intend to lease the house, with the furniture therein, now owned by John Barnett, situate in the said town of Mariposa, and formerly occupied by George Krafft. And I shall from this date be individually responsible, in my own name, for all debts contracted by me on account of said business above mentioned. And I further declare that the amount invested in said business is less than five thousand dollars. AMELIA PHILLIPS.

Mariposa, January 29, 1857.

State of California, County of Mariposa, ss.

This 29th day of January, A. D. 1857, before me, Alex. Deering, a Notary Public, within and for the said County, personally appeared AMELIA PHILLIPS, who is to me personally known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing declaration—and made and signed the same in my presence, and declared that she did the same for the object and purpose therein mentioned—and that the facts therein were true and correct.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my {L. S.} hand and official Seal, the day and year above mentioned.

ALEX. DEERING, Notary Public.

Mariposa January 29, 1857. ja29-3m

Township No. 3. County of Mariposa.

IN JUSTICE'S COURT.

The People of the State of California to BERTRAND SPRATT.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear before me, one of the Justices of the Peace of the Township aforesaid, at my Office in Mariposa in, said County, on Saturday, the 17th day of January, 1857, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to answer the complaint of TOLSON & BROWN, in an action to recover money advanced for expenses in working mining claim, wherein the Plaintiffs claim the sum of $198 25.

And if you fail to appear and answer, the plaintiffs will take judgment against you for the sum of *One Hundred and Ninety-Eight Dollars and twenty-three cents, and costs of suit.*

Given under my hand, this 9th day of January, 1857. ALFRED F. WASHBURN, J. P.

It is ordered that this Summons be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Mariposa Gazette.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1857.

ja16-4t ALFRED F. WASHBURN, J. P.

NEW STORE AT COULTERVILLE.

J. O. BEAN, Proprietor.

AT THIS STORE, recently opened, in the first building above the City Hotel, may be found every description of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

PROVISIONS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
WINES AND LIQUORS,
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY,
FANCY ARTICLES, etc., etc.

Goods will be sold LOW FOR CASH, and to their stock and prices the attention of the public is respectfully invited.

Mr. M. B. MERRIAM may be found at this establishment, where he would be happy to show attention to his friends and acquaintances.

RESTAURANT.

The public are also informed that a Restaurant has been opened in a building adjoining the above Store, at which meals are served up in the best manner. Lunches may be obtained at short notice.

SLEEPING ACCOMMODATIONS.—The upper stories of the buildings have been finished off and furnished as sleeping rooms. The best of Beds and conveniences of sleeping apartments have been provided.

☞ Confident in being able to give satisfaction to customers in each of the above branches of business, the proprietor hopes to receive a share of patronage.

Coulterville, January 16, 1857. ja16-3m

Special Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned particularly requests all persons indebted to the firm of D. White & Co., or White, Hatch & Co., to make immediate payment of the same, either at the Mill at Millville, or in Mariposa, where he will be nearly every day. And all those who will meet him and comply with the above request will be met with a hearty welcome—and those that do not will not be assured of saving cost.

G. GREEN, Agent.

Mariposa, January 7, 1857. ja9-tf

F. AND A. M.

Mariposa Lodge No. 24.

REGULAR MEETINGS.—The last Saturday before each full moon. SPECIAL Meetings, second Saturday thereafter.

m30-1y JOHN N. MOORE, Secretary.

I. O. of O. F.

THE Regular Meetings of Mariposa Lodge, No. 39 I. O. of O. F., will hereafter be held on Saturday night of each week.

GEO. A. HAYES, R. S.

Mariposa, December 10, 1856. d10-tf

Miscellaneous.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.

FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,

VIA PANAMA.

DEPARTURE FROM VALLEJO STREET WHARF.

The favorite Steamship

J. L. STEPHENS,

Will leave Vallejo Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA.

FRIDAY.....February 20, 1857.

AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the Railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately

By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.

Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.

According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip; a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.

THROUGH TICKETS

Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.

☞ Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock midnight, previous to the day of sailing.

☞ No Merchandize freight will be received on board after 3 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.

For freight or passage, apply to

FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco. aug 1 tf.

Notice to Ranchers.

A LIBERAL REWARD will be given to any person who will restore to their owner, at the Oak Spring House, 2½ miles from Mariposa, or give account of the whereabouts of a brown Texian Cow, white under the belly, with tolerable sharp horns, branded thus J-O (J. H. O.) Also, a red and white American Heifer, with a white head, and red spots over the eyes, not branded. Both are in very good condition, and will undoubtedly be found together. LEWIS H. P. SMITH.

Oak Spring House, January 16, 1857. jan16-tf

Private Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

THE undersigned, wishing to return next spring to the Atlantic States, offers for sale FIVE LOTS IN THE TOWN OF MARIPOSA, just opposite the Court House. Each Lot has a front of fifty feet, with a depth of One Hundred and twenty feet, two fronting on Bullion street, and three on Charles. On the premises is a small Dwelling House, with a Kitchen attached. This property is the most eligible in that part of Mariposa. The whole will be sold VERY LOW FOR CASH.

CHARLES DOYLE.

Mormon Bar, January 9, 1856. ja9-4t

IMPORTANT

To the People on the River!

WE HAVE ESTABLISHED A LARGE STORE IN BEAR VALLEY, where the best assortment of

DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING, BOOTS,
BLANKETS, &c., &c.

will always be kept; together with the FINEST LOT OF GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, ever brought to the Valley.

☞ We will sell CHEAP, and hope to receive a liberal patronage.

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.

December 3, 1856. d3-tf

NEW SALOON!

EL DORADO BUILDING.

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

LEROY VINING :::: PROPRIETOR.

THIS building, recently enlarged and improved, is now open for the entertainment of the public. The first floor is occupied as a

Billiard and Drinking Saloon!

BILLIARD TABLES of the most approved make are used, and the Bar is supplied with the best qualities of Liquors and Cigars.

A PIANO has been introduced into the establishment, which, together with other instruments, will furnish music every evening.

Adjoining the Saloon is the Coffee and Refreshment Room of Knoble & Krafft.

The Upper part of the Building

IS A HALL, 30 FEET BY 80, and fitted for Balls, Concerts and Theatrical entertainments. It being centrally situated, as well as its large size, there are inducements for its occupation, for either of the above purposes, superior to any other in Mariposa. It is to be had upon reasonable terms, at all times. Attached to the Hall are the conveniences of Ante Rooms.

Those visiting Mariposa occasionally, giving Concerts, Theatricals &c., will please notice.

Mariposa, December 5, 1856. d3-tf

BAKERY, CONFECTIONARY, ...AND.... COFFEE STAND!

Main Street, Mariposa, adjoining the El Dorado Saloon.

THE proprietors of the above establishment would respectfully inform the citizens of Mariposa and the public generally, that they have established themselves in the above business, and are now prepared to supply all who may favor them with a call, with

The Best Bread and Confectionaries.

Connected with the above business, they have fitted up a COFFEE SALOON, where can be had at all hours THE VERY BEST COFFEE.

WEDDING PARTIES AND BALLS furnished at the shortest possible notice, and on reasonable terms.

They solicit a share of public patronage.

L. KNOBLE,
G. KRAFFT.

Mariposa, December 3, 1856. d3-tf

NOTICE,

TO UP COUNTRY TRADERS.

WM. C. PAYNE,

[Formerly of the firm of Payne & Co. Fine Gold gulch.]

TAKES this method of informing his friends of Mariposa County and elsewhere, that he has located himself in San Francisco, and intends to devote his time entirely to

Buying Goods on Commission,

for up country dealers. All orders will receive prompt attention. The goods will be selected with care and shipped under his personal supervision.—Having had several years experience in trading in the mines and purchasing goods in this market, he feels confident that he can give satisfaction to those who favor him with their orders for goods.

☞ His Office is at No. 102 Front street, 2d floor, to which place all communications intended for him should be addressed.

San Francisco, August 27, 1856. au29-tf.

Billiard Table for Sale.

SAID TABLE is second hand, but is in excellent order, and will be sold low. Enquire of

J. B. PECK,
Agent of Wells, Fargo & Co.

La Grange, January 6, 1857. ja9 3t

HOTEL INTERNATIONAL.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Jackson Street, Near Montgomery.

THIS magnificent Mansion has been leased for a term of years by

MRS. A. S. HALEY,

is now undergoing a thorough repair, when it will be furnished entire with new Furniture, and opened to the public on Christmas, the 25th instant, with the best Table and most cleanly House on the Pacific.

Board, with lodging, from $2 to $3 per day.

Our motto—WE STRIVE TO PLEASE. Jan2-3m

MIDWIFE.

THE undersigned, a graduate of the Medical College of Lausanne, Switzerland, offers her services as Midwife, to the Ladies of Mariposa County.

Residence at B. Bonnet's Store Carson's Creek.

LOUISE RAPIN.

Carson's Creek, January 2, 1857. jy2-3m

GEORGE H. RHODES,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

QUARTZBURG, MARIPOSA COUNTY.

☞ Conveyancing, and all business connected with the office attended to promptly. ja16-tf

Miscellaneous.

REMOVAL.

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.

NEW ORLEANS STORE!

HAVE REMOVED TO

THEIR NEW BUILDING

ONE DOOR BELOW SMITH'S BEEF MARKET.

WE wish to inform our friends and the public in general that we have on hand and are constantly receiving at our store, a very fine and complete assortment of

CLOTHING, FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS,

Consisting in part of

Ladies' Dress Goods, Fine Silks, Shoes, Hosiery, Gloves, &c., &c.

GENT'S FINE COATS AND PANTS

Water-Proof Clothing,

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Valises, &c. &c.,

Colt's Revolvers, Cutlery, &c.

We have established a Store in Bear Valley, where a fine stock of DRY GOODS and CLOTHING will always be kept, and sold very reasonable for Cash

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.

Mariposa, October 22, 1856. oc22 tf

DAGUERREOTYPES!!

DR. HUBBELL & CO.

ARE PREPARED TO TAKE DAGUERREOTYPES and AMBROTYPES at all times, in accordance with the latest improvements in the art.

Office first door below Merritt & Deering's Law Office.

SADDLERY ...AND.. HARNESS SHOP.

M. GOODMAN & CO.

THE proprietors are prepared to execute every description of work in the above line of business. The best of leather for the manufacture of *HARNESS, SADDLE LEATHER, &c.* always on hand.

SADDLE TREES

of the most approved patterns, kept and for sale, and will be fitted up to suit the taste of purchasers.

GOODMAN & HUBBELL,

GUN SMITHS,

At the old stand of J. N. Thomas.

GUNS RE-STOCKED, REPAIRED IN EVERY PART AND IN THE BEST MANNER.

MR. GOODMAN will devote particular attention to the

Re-Cutting and Re-Sighting of Rifles,

and from much experience in this line he is enabled to guarantee satisfaction.

PISTOLS of every description, and SHOT GUNS repaired at short notice, and work warranted.

Mariposa, Nov. 19, 1856. no19-3m

FRANKLIN HOUSE.

RE-OPENED!

G. W. WARNER, Proprietor.

THE ABOVE HOTEL has recently been Refurnished in a style inferior to none in this vicinity, and is now open for the reception and entertainment of the public.

TRAVELERS may be assured of superior accommodations, and particular attention upon the part of those connected with the establishment.

THE TABLE.

BOARDERS will find the TABLE spread with the luxuries of the season, and in a manner to satisfy the most fastidious.

THE BAR,

Will at all times be furnished with the best of WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS. An experienced Bar keeper will be in attendance.

☞ A. N. FISHER & Co.'s LINE OF STAGES stop here; and information will be given of different routes of travel, and of localities in this section of the country, to which the attention of the public is respectfully invited.

Mariposa, December 26, 1856. de26-tf

MARIPOSA DRUG STORE!

A. D. BOYCE, Agent.

THE UNDERSIGNED is constantly receiving accessions to his stock of PURE MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS, Foreign and Domestic, to which he respectfully invites the attention of Physicians and the public generally.

Besides a full assortment of the standard articles, his stock comprises

All the Latest and Best Family and Patent Preparations.

Including Paresia's Italian Remedy; Flower of the West, a certain cure for Chills and Fever; Osgood's India Cholagogue; Ayres' Cherry Pectoral; ALL the best preparations of Sarsaparilla.

Shaker's Herbs, Garden Seeds and Extracts,

☞ FRESH AS CAN BE PROCURED. ☜

PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY PREPARED AT ALL HOURS.

DR. PAYNE, a Physician of twenty years standing, has an Office in the building, and will be always ready to attend to those who may require his services.

☞ The undersigned has also opened a similar establishment in

HORNITAS,

To which he will give his undivided attention, both in dispensing and prescribing medicines for the afflicted—and where the same advantages can be enjoyed.

HIS STOCK will compare favorably with that of any portion of the mining region.

A. D. BOYCE, AGENT.

Mariposa, December 3, 1856. d3-tf,

OAK HOTEL AT MILLERTON!

McCRAY & CO.

THE PROPRIETORS would announce to the public that they have recently completed new and extensive additions to their HOTEL, and are now prepared to accommodate guests in every particular. To their former establishment has been added a LARGE STONE BUILDING, furnished and fitted with whatever of conveniences a long experience in Hotel keeping could suggest.

Polite attention will at all times be given to the requirements of travelers and patrons.

Livery Stable.

The Proprietors also keep in connection with the above Hotel, a Livery Stable, where they have at all times HORSES TO LET, UNDER THE SADDLE, OR IN HARNESS, with Carriages and Buggies.

ANIMALS KEPT by the day, week or month upon reasonable terms, and cared for as required by an experienced hostler.

ANIMALS RECEIVED AT ALL HOURS—day or night, upon application at the Stable, or at the Hotel.

Millerton, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

LAGER BEER SALOON.

BUCHENAU & WEBBER, PROPRIETORS.

First Door below the French Store, Main Street

MARIPOSA.

THE BAR is constantly supplied with the very best of "LAGER," and LIQUORS of every description.

COFFEE AND REFRESHMENTS served at all hours. no26-tf

Miscellaneous.

TO THE PUBLIC!

YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED TO THE PRESENT PRICES OF GOODS, NOW SELLING BY

SULLIVAN & CO.,

Main Street, Mariposa.

WE have recently opened a branch of our house in SAN FRANCISCO, through which we now receive our supplies direct from

New York and Boston.

By this arrangement we are enabled to sell you goods at

SAN FRANCISCO COST.

Freight added. We would respectfully solicit you to give us a call, and examine our STOCK and PRICES, previous to purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell (FOR CASH) LOWER than any other House in this section of country.

P. S.—All orders entrusted to us, will be promptly attended to, and weights and measures guaranteed correct.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

COULTERSVILLE,

Maxwell's Creek.

m17-tf

C. F. MacDERMOT, C. KERRINS. D. BRIEN.

Main Street, Mariposa, and Saxton's Creek,

Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of

MacDERMOT & CO.,

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A

Wholesale and Retail Business in Groceries and Provisions,

SUPERIOR OLD

Wines & Liquors,

of the choicest brands;

HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,

Clothing, Boots and Shoes;

DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;

MINING TOOLS, &c.,

AND A GENERAL

ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.

☞ QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS. ☜

Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Mariposa, July 4, 1856. jy4 tf

[REMOVAL.]

Wholesale and Retail

DRY GOODS

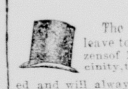
— AND —

CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT,

MARIPOSA.

Cohen, Samuels & Co.,

Have Removed to their New Fire Proof Brick Building, a few Doors North of their old Store.



The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that we have opened and will always keep on hand a large assortment of

SILKS, EMBROIDERIES,

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,

LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDRENS'

SHOES, GAITERS AND SLIPPERS.

Also, a full assortment of finest and best

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

And a good supply of

BILLIARD CLOTHS,

MINERS' CLOTHING:

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, which we offer for sale at the lowest market prices to those who will favor us with their patronage. We respectfully invite the Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Store and examine our Goods before purchasing elsewhere, as it will be no trouble to show goods, so call and see.

COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.

N. B. Gold Dust taken in exchange at the highest prices.

P. S. We have established a store at Agua Frio, where the same kind of goods will be sold, and the same advantages afforded to purchasers as in Mariposa.

C. S. & Co. sep17-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

New Steam Saw Mill!

A. McNEILL, Proprietor.

THIS MILL is located upon the head of the North Fork of the Chouchillia, eight miles from Mariposa, and is surrounded by the best timbered country between the Merced and San Joaquin Rivers.

LUMBER

Of all dimensions Sawed to order, out of the best of Sugar Pine Timber, much of which is entirely clear.

A large stock of all kinds of Lumber kept constantly on hand at their Lumber Yard, which will be sold low for Cash, or delivered in any accessible part of the Country.

Those wanting large lots of lumber, are particularly requested to examine their facilities for furnishing it, of superior quality at a low price.

Road to the Mill.

A ROAD has been recently built from Mariposa, by the way of Mormon Bar to their Mill, over which a load may be drawn as large as can be taken from Mariposa to any point below.

TEAMSTERS are informed that in the immediate vicinity of the Mill is excellent Grass, and Hay and Barley may be obtained at the Storehouse of the company. A share of patronage is solicited.

Summit Valley, Nov. 26, 1856. no26-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

VAN CAMPEN & Co.'s

New Steam Saw Mill!

Situated upon Saxton's Creek, Four and a half Miles from the Upper Crossing of the Mariposa.

THE proprietors of this Mill are prepared to furnish LUMBER IN ANY QUANTITY, and of all qualities, in any part of the County, or at the Mill, as cheap as can be procured at any similar establishment in this vicinity.

☞ A large amount of Lumber is constantly on hand. Particular attention paid to orders. ☜

The country about the Mill abounds with the very best of SUGAR PINE, and those wanting EXTRA LUMBER for any particular purpose, would do well to examine their facilities for furnishing it.

VAN CAMPEN & CO.

Saxton's Creek, November 26, 1856. no26-tf

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

THAT DESIRABLE AND WELL KNOWN ESTABLISHMENT, THE WASHINGTON HALL, on Main street, Mariposa, together with the entire Furniture, Beds, Bedding, Cooking utensils, Bar Fixtures, &c., &c. The House is well adapted for a Boarding House, having sufficient accommodation for thirty or forty persons; also, an excellent Oven, with all the fixtures belonging to same. Attached is a splendid Stable; a fine roomy Cellar, and all other conveniences, which make it the most desirable property in town. It will be rented to a good tenant on reasonable terms, or sold cheap, and payment taken to suit the times.

For further particulars, apply to Mr. JOHN BARNETT, or at the Store of MacDERMOTT & CO.

Mariposa, December 10, 1856. d10-tf

Miscellaneous.

UPPER SHERLOCK'S STORE!

JOHN HIGMAN, PROPRIETOR,

HAS ON HAND A LARGE assortment of goods in common use, consisting in part of

Provisions, Groceries, Liquors

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

A General Assortment of

The Best Liquors, &c.

☞ In connexion with his establishment, Mr. H has a STABLE in which animals will be carefully attended to.

A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.

Sherlock's, October 15, 1856. oc15-tf

READ'S EXCHANGE, SALES, .. AND .. LIVERY STABLE!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE PROPRIETOR WOULD ANNOUNCE that in addition to his former accommodations, he has leased the Stable recently occupied by MANN & BROTHERS, and is prepared to accommodate the public in every respect.

Horses Bought and Sold,

HORSES KEPT BY THE DAY WEEK OR MONTH.

Horses to Let in any Number,

Many of which are suitable for Ladies' use.

☞ PARTIES FOR YO HAMITE VALLEY can be accommodated in every particular.

☞ THE STABLES are under the immediate supervision of the Proprietor, who will spare no pains to give satisfaction.

☞ THESE STABLES are situated near the Yo Hamite Hotel, and nearly opposite the Saloon of Blumenthal & Newcomb.

Mariposa, September 12, 1856 s12 tf.

LIVERY STABLE! HORNITAS.

WHITE & BLACK.

THE subscribers have recently erected a large and commodious Stable in a convenient and central location, and are prepared to accommodate the public in every particular relating to the above business.

HORSES TO LET.

☞ HORSES KEPT ANY TIME DESIRED. ☜

The Stable is under the personal superintendence of one of the members of the firm, and careful attention will at all times be given to business.

BLACK & WHITE, Proprietors.

N. B. In connection with the above business, we have a LUMBER YARD, where a variety of Lumber may always be found. We are also prepared to take contracts for building, furnishing materials, &c.

aug29-tf W. & B.

Coulterville Livery Stable.

THOMAS SCOTT, PROPRIETOR.

THIS STABLE has recently been built, and is complete in all its arrangements. An Hostler second to none, in charge; and who will give careful attention to animals left at this place. A large number of

Saddle Horses to Let.

☞ Parties going to Yo Hamite Valley may be sure of accommodation in this respect.

☞ STABLING for Horses at all times, and on reasonable terms. Sep5-tf

TAILORING.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDDR.

VANDYKE'S LOG BUILDING,

Next door to the El Dorado Restaurant, Mariposa.

ALEXANDER GEDDES, (better known as Red Jack,) has commenced the TAILORING BUSINESS in all its branches in Mariposa, and respectfully solicits a liberal share of the public patronage.

CLOTHING MADE AND REPAIRED in the best style and at the shortest notice.

His prices will be moderate, and his work warranted to please.

Mariposa, October 15, 1856. oc15-3m.

TAILORING. NEW ESTABLISHMENT!

Main Street, Mariposa,

Next door to J. M. Vandyke's, and immediately Opposite Dr. Grandcoinet's.

I AM FAERUCH, RESPECTFULLY announces to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that he has commenced the TAILORING BUSINESS in all its various branches.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER, according to the latest Fashions, and WARRANTED TO FIT.

CLOTHES REPAIRED AND CLEANED at the shortest notice.

SEWING of every description done in good style.

☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

Mariposa, October 15, 1856. oc15-3m

WILLIAM CROCKER,

TEACHER OF

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL

MUSIC.

MR. CROCKER will attend Pupils at their residences, or at his rooms in the Franklin House.

He will give instructions upon the Piano, Guitar, Violin, Flute and other instruments.

Mr. C. may always be found at his rooms, or at the Saloon of Mr. Vining.

Mariposa, January 2, 1857. jy2-tf

FOR SALE OR TO LET!

A STABLE in Mariposa, situated on Fourth street, and formerly occupied by W. 3. Taylor & Co., while engaged in Livery and Staging business. This Stable is favorably located—a lot sufficiently large is connected therewith—also excellent water, and is in condition for immediate occupancy. For particulars regarding price of property, or terms of leasing, inquire of

SAMUEL LORD,

Upper Sherlock's, October 29, 1856. 3m

E. WATSON, Jeweler and Ambrotypist!

JEWELRY REPAIRED

AND AMBROTYPES TAKEN

IN THE BEST STYLE,

And with the latest improvements in the Art, and on the shortest notice.

OFFICE—Next building to Pool's Hotel, Quartzburg. November 25, 1856. no26-3m

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERVICES to the Merchants in the interior, as a commission buyer of Goods in San Francisco, having been engaged in the business for nearly three years past, with three years previous experience in the interior. He hopes to give satisfaction to such as may employ him in that capacity. Orders for any description of Merchandize filled and forwarded promptly.

SAML. H. PRICHARD,

Up stairs, corner Battery and Sacramento sts., dec 27-tf. San Francisco.

GENTLEMEN VISITING SAN FRANCISCO WILL do well to call at the Clothing Establishment of J. C. EDDY & Co., South East Corner Sansome and Commercial Streets, where they will find the Largest and best selected Stock of Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods this side the Rocky Mountains, and at prices to suit the times.

☞ Do not forget the place—OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL. aug1-6m.

COMBS' BILLIARD SALOON!

HORNITAS, SOUTH SIDE OF THE PLAZA.

THIS SALOON is fitted up with every convenience. An excellent BILLIARD TABLE, and the BAR is furnished with the best of Liquors and Cigars.

Hornitas, Nov. 25, 1856. no26-3m

EXPRESS SALOON!

Main Street, Hornitas.

OFFICE OF THE OPPOSITION STAGE; OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC EXPRESS.

☞ The best of LIQUORS and CIGARS to be found at the Bar. HENRY SKELTON.

Hornitas, Nov. 25, 1856. no26-3m

San Francisco Advertisments.

DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S

GRAND MEDICAL & SURGICAL INSTITUTE.

ARMORY HALL BUILDING,

Corner of Montgomery and Sacramento sts, San Francisco.

Established for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of quackery.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician in the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of Urinary Organs and Diseases of Women and Children has opened his institute for the cure of all forms of private diseases, such as syphilis, gonorrhœa, nocturnal emissions, and all the consequences of self-abuse. In the first stages of syphilitic or gonorhœal diseases, he guarantees a cure in a few days, without inconvenience to the patient or hindrance to his business. When a patient, by neglect or improper treatment, has developed the symptoms of secondary syphilis, such as buboes, or painful swellings of the groins, or ulcers in the throat or nose, which if not checked, destroy the soft parts and cause the bones to mortify, separate and come away, leaving the sufferer heidous to behold; or when splotches and pimples break out upon the skin, or when he has painful swellings upon the bones, or when his constitution is injured so as to predispose to consumption or constitutional disease, the Doctor guarantees a cure or asks no compensation.

In rheumatism, chronic or acute, in dysentery or diarrhœa, he has safe and effectual remedies. For the treatment of the consequences of self-abuse, such as nocturnal emissions, nervousness, timidity, headache, pains in the back and limbs, with general weakness, loss of appetite, loss of memory, injury to the sight, restlessness, confusion of ideas, dislike for society, and a feeling of weariness of life, with the nervous system so exciteable that slight noises shock or startle the patient, making his existence miserable. For the above maladies the Doctor will guarantee a cure or ask no compensation. He can be consulted free of charge, and invites all to call, as it will cost them nothing, and may be much to their advantage.

A Tribute to Merited Worth.

☞ A TESTIMONIAL RICHLY MERITED.—The ingratitude of man to his fellow man is so often met with in life, that testimonials, prompted by the finer feelings of the heart, are oasis in the life of those who sacrifice their best days in philanthropic devotion to the alleviation of the ills of frail mortality. Empiricism floods the columns of our press with fraudulent and fictitious letters; singing peans to the worth of their own egotistical charlatanism. Below we append a letter from a worthy man, who, a brief period since, seemed destined to "shuffle off this mortal coil;" but who looked forward to his future with that pleasure which only those weighed down by the heavy hand of disease can. Contrary to hope, the ability of a skillful physician has restored him to his former health. Relieved from his terrible situation, and impelled by gratitude, he makes known his case and remedial agent, and his statement is authenticated by a Notary Public. The demands of society imperiously command its publicity; and it is given more to warn the unwary than to sound the praises of a physician of whom scores of like cases can be cited:

CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly afflicted, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duty imposed upon the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy, and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear, my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self-distrust and want of confidence in others, the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.

With a view to guard the unfortunate from falling into the snares of incompetent quacks, I deem it my duty to offer this testimony to the merit and skill of Dr. Czapkay, and recommend him to all who may stand in need of medical advice, being assured, by my own experience, that under his care a radical and permanent cure will be effected. B. F. FILLMORE.

State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.]

Notary Public.

A CARD.—I the undersigned, having been under the treatment of Dr. L. J. Czapkay, although unsolicited, feel called upon to give publicity to the efficacy of his treatment, hoping that by doing so I may be instrumental in preventing others from the fearful suffering and misery which I experienced, and which so often result from the pernicious practices of pretenders. My disease has been that of Physical and mental debility, which follows in consequence of the indiscretion in youth. The agonies which I endured are, perhaps, unnecessary for me to detail, they are known to those who have experienced them. Suffice it to say, that having called the services of Dr. L. J. Czapkay in requisition, all my expectations which I may have formed of him were more than realized. I would therefore recommend Dr. Czapkay to all who may find themselves afflicted with that dreadful malady, my object in so doing being sympathy for suffering humanity, and a heartfelt desire of relieving them.

D. J. DAHLEE, Printer.

State of California, City and County of San Francisco, ss.—On this thirty-first day of July, A. D. 1856, before me, Wm. C. Jewett, Notary Public, personally appeared D. J. Dahlee, known to me, who, being duly sworn, did depose and say, that the contents of the card herewith signed by him is true.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my official seal, the day and year first above written. WM. C. JEWETT,

[L. S.] Notary Public.

Greatest Discovery of the Age.

GREAT BLESSING TO MANKIND!—Innocent but potent! Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilactecum, (self-disinfecting agent,) a sure preventive against gonorrhœal and syphilitic diseases, and an unsurpassed remedy for venerial, scrofulous, gangrenous and cancerous ulcers, fœtid discharges from the vagina, uterus and urethra, and all cutaneous eruptions and diseases. As innoculation is a preventive against small-pox, so is Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilacticum a preventive against syphilitic and gonorrhœal diseases. Although harmless in itself, it possesses the power of chemically destroying the syphilitic virus, and thereby saving thousands from being infected by the most fearful curse of all diseases. Let no young man who appreciates health be without Dr. Czapkay's Prophilacticum. It is in very convenient packages, and will be found convenient to use, being used as a soap. Price $5. For sale at Dr. Czapkay's Private Medical and Surgical Institute, Armory Hall, corner of Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco.

All orders must be addressed to L. J. Czapkay, M. D., San Francisco, California.

Spermatorrhœa.

OR local weakness, nervous debility, low spirits, Insititude, weakness of the limbs or back, indisposition and incapability for labor and study, dullness of apprehension, loss of memory, aversion to society, love of solitude, timidity, self-distrust, diziness, headache, involuntary discharges, pains in the side, affections of the eyes, pimples on the face sexual and other infirmities in man, are cured without fail by the justly celebrated physician and surgeon, L. J. Czapkay. His method of curing diseases is new, (unknown to others,) and hence the great success. All consultations, (by letter or otherwise) free. Address L. J. Czapkay, M. D., San Francisco, California.

☞ Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is at the corner of Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco, California. The Doctor offers free consultation, and asks no remuneration unless he effects a cure. nov1-3m.

GEORGE E. GARDNER, BOOKS AND STATIONERY, Periodical and Newspaper Depot.

PACIFIC EXPRESS BUILDING, CHARLES STREET

MARIPOSA.

Miscellaneous.

Variety Store, ... AND .... OLD CURIOSITY SHOP!!

Main Street, Opposite Phillips' Hotel,

MARIPOSA.

Where can be found all sorts of useful and ornamental articles, not to be found in any other store in the County, consisting of the largest and best selected stock of

HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
BOOKS, STATIONERY,
GARDEN SEEDS,
FINE SADDLERY
WINDOW GLASS & SASH,
BUILDERS' MATERIALS, &c.,

ever offered for sale in this town.

—ALSO—

PRIME CHEWING TOBACCO, AND GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS,

received direct from a member of our firm now in Havana, who is constantly providing the best brands. Together with a fine assortment of

FANCY ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, LOOKING-GLASSES, WALL PAPER, HOLYDAY TOYS, PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, BRUSHES, BURNING FLUID, LAMP OIL, and

MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

—ALSO—

Lamp Chimneys,	Shoe Knives,
Sand Paper,	Candlesticks,
Writing Paper,	Playing Cards,
Knives and Forks,	Butcher Knives,
Horse Combs and Brushes,	Screws and Hooks,
Brass Butts, Chisels,	Gaugers, Awls,
Saw Files, Latches,	Tap Bores, Gimblets,
Faucets, Files and Chisels,	Locks, Hasps, Staples,
Marking Gauges,	Screw Drivers,
Hammers, Compasses,	Fineers, Paper Cutters,
Divisors,	Butts.

And a thousand other articles, too numerous to mention, all of which we offer at *San Francisco Prices*, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, FOR CASH!

Call and be supplied.

jy12-tf N. COHN & CO.

GREESMAN & COHN, Cigar and Tobacco Store, Wholesale, 88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.—Stock received direct from Havana. July 12-tf

NEW TOBACCO, CIGAR, — AND — VARIETY STORE!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Opposite Cashman's New Store.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand and will be constantly receiving every article imaginable almost, and finest kind of

Cigars and Tobacco

in particular.

Fancy articles of every description will always be found upon the shelves of this establishment.

"A Thousand and One" would be the lowest figure that could be stopped at, were an enumeration of the great variety of goods composing our stock attempted.

We will mention a few of the leading articles—

BOOKS and STATIONERY,
HOLYDAY TOYS,
WALL PAPER,
GARDEN SEEDS,
HARDWARE,
&c., &c.

All kinds of FRUIT, NUTS, CONFECTIONARY and FANCY ARTICLES.

—ALSO—

PERFUMERY

of every description.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. NEAL & McGRANN

nov1-tf

SADDLERY ESTABLISHMENT .... OF .... **Westfall & DeForris,**

Main Street, Mariposa, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

HAVE on hand every discription of Saddlery, Harness, Bridles, Reins, Saddle-Trees, &c., manufactured. Material constantly on hand necessary to the manufacture of all articles in the above mentioned line of business.

Repairing done at short notice, and in the best manner.

They have also, on hand, a lot of Groceries, Preserved Meats, all of which will be sold low.

Mariposa, March 15th, 1856. m13-3m

NEW BILLIARD SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED having commenced the above business in the fine and spacious new House lately erected on Main street, opposite the Southern Hotel, would respectfully solicit the patronage of their friends and the public generally in and about Mariposa, for which they guarantee the

BEST LIQUORS!

— AND —

Billiards upon the most Superb Tables

To be found in the Southern mines.

That an establishment of this kind, well arranged and splendidly fitted up, has long been a want in this section of the country, all are well aware, and it is now hoped from the comfort and elegance of our Saloon, and our long acquaintance in Mariposa county, that we will receive the encouragement of the public. BLUMENTHAL & NEWCOMB.

☞ OUR BAR ☜

is stocked with pure and choice LIQUORS, and the best HAVANA CIGARS. m16-tf

J. A. HENRY, BUTCHER

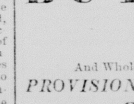
And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

PROVISIONS, LIQUORS AND CLOTHING.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. Nov. 1-tf.

A. W. Jee's Store!

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.



THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, AND MINING TOOLS

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price.

ARTHUR W. JEE.

o20-tf Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek

E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Camel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloth, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments; Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White Lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black Lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil; Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown; Prussian Blue Carmene, No. 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil, and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; Imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre; Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stone; Rotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal, Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pipes; Breast Pumsp; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instrument for self injecting, (Maw's;) Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro-Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Peas; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights; Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethoscopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters, the most approved; Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best patterns; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.

Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

Stockton Advertisements.

HEWLETT & COLLINS, STOCKTON,

Corner of Main and Hunter Streets,

OFFER FOR SALE,

Ex Late Arrivals.

RAISINS, Layers and Bunch, wholes and hfs;
Raisins, Sultana, in drums;
Pepper, Ground in class, superior quality;
Pepper, Grain in sacks;
Pickles, Cases, gherkins and mixed;
Mackerel, Half barrels, Nos. 1 and 2;
Mackerel, Kitts Nos. 1 and 2;
Codfish, Drums St. John;
Cordage, Assorted sizes Manilla;
Lard, 10 lb. tins;
Pick Helves, Extra quality;
Dried Apples, Extra quality, fine sliced
Shot, Assorted sizes; Powder;
Hemp Twine, In balls, Cotton do;
Pie Fruit, Various brands;
Fresh Peaches, In glass and tin;
Dried Peaches, In kegs, superior quality;
Dried Plums, In kegs, superior quality;
Hand Axes, Collins' medium sizes;
Olive Oil, in cases;
Matches, Roundwood boxes;
Tubs, Extra article;
Safety Fuse, In barrels, water proof;
Cheese, In tins. aug15tf

Manilla Rope.

OF ALL SIZES—we are in constant receipt, direct from Boston, Rope of every description, from ¾ to 7 inches in circumference. We have the only complete assortment of Rope in this State, which we offer at the lowest Market price in lots to suit. HEWLETT & COLLINS,

au29-tf Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

N. B. We have our Rope manufactured to order, from superior materials.

Grain and Flour Sacks.

75,000 GRAIN AND FLOUR SACKS, For sale as low as any in the State, by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

au29-tf Stockton.

Notice to Ox Teamsters.

YOU will find the best and cheapest OX YOKES and BOWS in the State, at HEWLETT & COLLINS,

au29-tf Stockton.

Dirt Barrows.

CANAL, Mining and Garden BARROWS, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

au29-tf Stockton.

ROPE—Manila and Hemp Cordage, of all sizes. Also—Oars, Blocks, Tar, Pitch, Rosin and Oakum for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS.

m13-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

Blocks and Sheaves.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex "Rambler," a large assortment of Blocks and Sheaves, consisting in part of as follows:

Patent Double and Single;
do do Iron strapped;
Common do;
do do Iron strapped;

Blocks and Sheaves for Hay Presses. For sale at San Francisco prices by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

au15tf. Corner Main and Hunter sts, Stockton.

Notice—Powder Magazine.

HEWLETT & COLLINS

ARE authorized to take charge of all POWDER landed in the city of Stockton, subject to be stored in accordance with the Ordinance of the city of Stockton.

Parties having Powder can have the same stored or taken charge of by leaving a notice at the store of HEWLETT & COLLINS,

Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

All kinds of Powder for sale at San Francisco prices—freight added. aug15tf

Sausage Cutters.

A FEW of the largest size Sausage Cutters, and Stuffers, with large fly-wheel and cogs, for sale low by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

au29 tf Stockton.

Hewlett & Collins.

Corner Main and Hunter Streets,

STOCKTON,

HAVE ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF AGICULTURAL AND MINING IMPLEMENTS; GROCERIES;
SHIP CHANDLERY;
PROVISIONS;
LIQUORS;
WINES;
CIGARS;
CLOTHING;

—AND ALL—

GOODS SUITED TO THE MINES.

Traders visiting this city for the purpose of purchasing, are respectfully solicited to call and examine their stock. They possess facilities which enables them to compete with any house in this city, in regard to price, and all goods purchased of them will be warranted.

Prompt and careful attention paid to orders and goods forwarded without delay. m9-tf

COAL! COAL! COAL!

THE SUBSCRIBERS have now on hand at HEWLETT & COLLINS' COAL YARD, on the Peninsula, near C. M. Weber's, STOVE and BLACKSMITH'S COAL, in casks and sacks. We are receiving Coal DIRECT from the CUMBERLAND MINES, which enables us to sell at San Francisco prices, with freight added.

Purchasers will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Orders must be left at the store on the corner of Main and Hunter streets, Stockton. m13tf HEWLETT & COLLINS.

Hay Cutters.

CYLENDER HAY, STRAW, AND STALK CUTTER. So great is the utility of cutting fodder for stock, that it can only be appreciated by those persons who have had experience in the business, many persons having observed the advantages of this mode of preparing fodder by a Cutter, when they had only one animal to feed. For sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

oc1-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

Premium Steel Plows.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Nor Wester, a few of the celebrated Eagle No. 4, Steel Plows, with wheel, cutter, and extra points, and Eagle No. 8 with wheel cutter, and extra points.

The above named plows have been manufactured expressly for our trade. The strength, durability, and lightness of draught, with the peculiar shape of the mould board, and extra points, make them the most desirable steel plow in the State. One look at them and you will be convinced.

Plow points of all kinds, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

Oct. 1-tf Stockton.

Plows! Plows!!

JUST RECIVED, Ex Nor Wester, direct from the factory, a complete assortment of PLOWS, consisting in part of

Eagle, No. 1, 8, with cutter, wheel, and extra points.
Eagle, " 2 " " " " "
Eagle, " 31 " " " " "
Eagle, " 25 " " " " "
Eagle, " 4 steel, " " "
Eagle, " 8 steel, " " "

All of our Plows are made to order, and are made from the best materials, with a view of meeting the wants of the California farmers. For sale at the very lowest prices by HEWLETT & COLLINS,

Oct. 1-tf Stockton.

D. J. GULLAHAN

FREIGHTER AND FORWARDER,

Levee Street, Stockton.

ALL GOODS consigned to my care will be forwarded to their destination in any part of the Southern Mines, with despatch and correctness, at the lowest rates of freight, free of commissions or other extra charges. aug1-tf

N. B. Storage in a fire-proof building when required, FREE OF CHARGE. Good reference given.

Charles P. Greenly & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE,

Sheet and Bar Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools, Cumberland Coal, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.

CENTRE ST., (Near Adams & Co.'s Express Office, STOCKTON. j3-tf

YO HAMITE.

THE ROAD TO YO HAMITE VALLEY BEING NOW finished, the undersigned would announce that they have obtained a Charter and a privilege of collecting Toll from the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County. Said Charter extends for the term of twenty years; and the rates of Toll established for the present are as follows:

FOR EACH MAN OR LADY MOUNTED, GOING AND RETURNING	$4 00
FOR FOOTMEN, GOING AND RETURNING	2 00

Animals can be obtained at our Stable, and the personal assistance of one of our firm, as a conductor at all times if desired.

MANN BROTHERS.

Mariposa, August 8, 1856. au8tf

San Francisco Advertisements.

GENTLEMEN,

..IT IS..

OUR BUSINESS TO PUBLISH

..THE..

IMPORTANT NEWS!

..AND..

YOURS TO PROFIT BY IT!

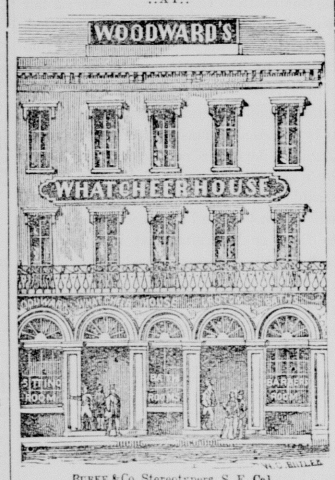
We therefore take great pleasure in being able to inform the people of California that the

Most extraordinary reduction

HAS TAKEN PLACE IN

THE PRICE OF LODGINGS,

..AT..



BUREE & Co, Stereotypers, S. F. Cal.

119 and 121, Sacramento St.,

AND 87, 89 AND 91 NEW ADDITION,

LEIDESDORFF ST.

The price of Lodging is now reduced to

☞ 50 AND 75 CENTS PER NIGHT. ☜

Lodgings in the first class Single Rooms, furnished complete, at SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS per night!

We have been given to understand that Lodgings by the week can be obtained at a very low figure.

Gentlemen: Sleep is a wonderful Institution, but Woodward has improved upon it greatly, by introducing and bringing within the reach of every one these renowned Patent French Spring Beds, at 50 and 75 cents per night.

The price of BOARD is also Exceedingly Low:

Per day	$1
" week	6
Single Meals	50 cts.

An extensive and abundantly supplied READING ROOM and LIBRARY, is also fitted up for the accommodation of the patrons of this establishment.

The location of this House is such as to place it in the centre of business; it is directly opposite the Mail Steamship Company's Office, and in the immediate vicinity of the U. S. Branch Mint.

Just call at the WHAT CHEER HOUSE, 119 and 121, Sacramento Street, where you will be well attended to by R. B. WOODWARD, Proprietor.

[This house is conducted on Strictly Temperance principles.] ja23-3m

YE THAT SUFFER!

READ! READ!! READ!!!

DR. PAREIRAS' Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

IT HAS NEVER FAILED—IT CANNOT FAIL TO CURE!

It has borne the test of

FIFTY YEARS,

and has never yet failed to

EFFECT A CURE IN EVERY CASE!

☞ Beware of Quack Nostrums, and use a Medicine that has proved itself the only

Infallible Remedy

ON THE EARTH!

THIS GREAT REMEDY IS WARRANTED PURELY VEGETABLE.

D. BABCOCK,

77 Davis Street, between Clay and Washington Streets San Francisco.

General Agent for Pacific Coast, Oregon and Sandwich Islands.

☞ For sale also by Druggists throughout California and the Atlantic States.

☞ DR. A. D. BOYCE, Agent for Mariposa and Hornitas. jan16-3m

[ESTABLISHED IN 1849.]

QUARTZ SPECIMENS, MIXED WITH GOLD,

ARE BOUGHT BY US AT FROM 5 TO 50 PER CENT ABOVE THE MINT VALUE.

WE ARE THE INVENTORS of the art of manufacturing QUARTZ JEWELRY, and our stock is the largest and richest in the State. Call on us, all you gentlemen who intend visiting San Francisco, you are welcome to examine our goods whether you come to purchase or not.

WE SELL WATCHES AND JEWELRY, finer and cheaper than any other California establishment, for the reason that one of our firm is always in Europe, having the best goods made to order, which he continues to forward by every steamer. And as we buy for cash, we can afford to sell at the lowest New York prices.

BARRETT & SHERWOOD,

☞ 135 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial, San Francisco.

N. B. Orders sent by Express, filled promptly. Particular attention to Watches sent us for repair. dec24-3m.

Paper Hangings and Carpets!

JUST RECEIVED—Per late arrivals, by FRANK BAKER, 110 and 112 Clay street—

800 cases Paper Hangings, French and American, every variety;
6000 rolls French and American Borders;
300 ps Tapestry Velvet Carpet;
625 ps Tapestry Brussels Carpet;
230 ps Three-Ply Carpet;
300 ps Superfine Ingrain Carpets;
350 ps Extra fine Ingrain Carpets;
200 ps Cotton and wool Carpets;
125 ps Stair Carpets, assorted;
275 ps Bay State Druggets;
800 ps Oil Cloths, assorted;
125 ps Silk Damask and Brocatelle;
300 ps Cotton and worsted Damask;
4000 pair Window shades;
375 pair Lace curtains;
750 pair Muslin Curtains;
8000 Cornices and Curtain bands;
325 dozen Matts, assorted;
Stair Rods, Table Covers, Gimps, Fringes, &c.

Wholesale and Retail, by FRANK BAKER,

dec24-3m San Francisco, 110 and 112 Clay street.

HORNITAS Stove and Tin Shop!

JACOB KOCHER.....PROPRIETOR.

HAS on hand a large stock of STOVES and TINWARE and STOVE FURNITURE.

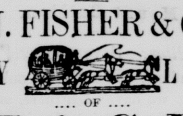
All kinds of JOB WORK connected with the above business, done to order, with despatch and in a workmanlike manner.

People in Hornitas, Quartzburg, and in Merced county, will please take notice. Articles will be sold for Cash at a small advance on San Francisco prices.

Hornitas, November 25, 1856. no26-3m

Miscellaneous.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

A. N. FISHER & CO'S DAILY  LINE

.... OF ....

STAGES

.... FOR ....

STOCKTON,

Two Routes, *viz: Old Road*

Via MOUNT OPHIR,
QUARTSBURG,
HORNITOS,
SNELLING'S,
DICKINSON'S, and HEATH & EMERY'S FERRIES

New Road, on Alternate Days,

Via MOUNT OPHIR,
HORNITOS,
PHILLIPS' FERRY,
SNELLINGS'
COXES', FRENCH BAR, and BRANCH FERRY, to

tockton.

Hereafter the Stages will arrive in Mariposa at 9 A. M.; leaving for Hornitas the same day at 1½ o'clock, P. M.—from which place passengers will start at 2 o'clock next morning, arriving in Stockton in time to connect with the Boat for San Francisco and also with the Stages for Sacramento making the trip through in one day.

Also from Hornitas to Sonora and intermediate towns without stopping.

Office—at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., Main street, Mariposa. J. B. CONDON, Ag't.

aug15.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMENS' FURNISHING STORE.

GUARD & CO.

HAVE RECENTLY ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES IN A

NEW STORE,

At the Head of Main Street, opposite Methodist Church.

THEIR STOCK IS NEW AND FASHIONABLE,

Selected with reference to the tastes and wants of this market, and at

☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. ☜

Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere. Jy18-tf

LUMBER ..AT.. REDUCED PRICES!

J. C. LAMON & CO.,

BEAR CREEK,

HAVE ON HAND AT THEIR MILL, FOUR miles from Mariposa, a large lot of Assorted and Seasoned Lumber, which will be sold according to quality and quantity, at prices varying from

FIFTEEN TO THIRTY DOLLARS PER THOUSAND.

Orders are respectfully solicited, but it must be distinctly understood that credit cannot be given. We have determined to adopt the CASH system, and sell on the most reasonable terms.

Bear Creek, July 25, 1856. jy25-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

THE undersigned has leased the STEAM SAW MILL, known as OWEN & CO.'S,

Situated in Mono, Four Miles from the Town of Mariposa.

Where he is prepared to furnish Bills of all descriptions, and of the BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER, at the shortest notice.

☞ GOOD SEASONED LUMBER constantly on hand and for sale at the Mill, or at any place where a Wagon can go at reasonable rates.

☞ Terms, Cash—or Hay and Barley at Cash prices. SAMUEL L. HOGAN,

J. N. THOMAS, Agent. Sept. 12-tf.

Furniture and Bedding

MANUFACTORY & STORE.

CHARLES STURCKE begs leave to announce to his friends and the public, that he has established himself in the above line of bussness

On Main street, nearly opposite McNamara & Crippen's.

Where he is prepared to execute all orders that he may be favored with, at short notice, and in the most satisfactory manner.

A large assortment of FURNITURE and BEDDING will always be kept on hand.

Old Furniture repaired, upholstered and